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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

IF called upon to prescribe for Secretary Bayard we should advise him to take more time between blunders.

THE line which seems to govern Mr. Bayard's diplomatic policy seems to be the old one of Mason and Dixon's.

CAPTAIN COUCH announces that he will invade the Oklahoma lands with an armed force of his boomers inside of sixty days.

MR. CLEVELAND says that no one can lie to him with any degree of success more than once. How quiet his Democratic callers will have to be.

THE RUSSIAN bear is not satisfied with the way England has chosen to settle the Afghanistan boundary question and is again getting ready for a fight.

THE high license bill will probably pass the legislature in a moderated form; nearly all the high license features eliminated from it.

POSTMASTER GENERAL VILAS has issued a "confidential circular" announcing that from this time on he will discharge Republicans and substitute them with Demoorats as fast as he possibly can.

THERE must be something hidden behind all those efforts by the constituents of Sunset Cox to persuade him to decline the Turkish mission. Maybe they want to run Mr. Cox for Governor of New York.

A MINSTREL performance was given by the swell dudes of New York City last week which was voted unusually fine. It attracted an audience which in brilliancy has never been surpassed by those that assembled to hear Patti.

SECRETARY LAMONT never forgets a face he has seen or a name he has heard. The President's powers in this direction are not stated, but it is safe to say that he will remember the name of Kelly as long as he lives.

LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL'S voice is still for war, but if hostilities were to break out it is doubtful whether he would be as ready to shoot off a musket as he is to shoot off his mouth.

IF there is any gentleman at the South who has a case of political disabilities on hand, he ought to call on Secretary Bayard without any delay. Mr. Bayard seems to be looking for a man of that sort for a minister to Italy.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND says he won't tell the reporters anything more. This is really the first time we ever heard that the President was able to tell the reporters or anybody else what they didn't know before.

STATE elections will be held this year in Pennsylvania, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Jersey, New York, Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky and Mississippi. Four of these states went Republican last fall and the others Democratic.

THE statement that Washington malaria is caused by drinking polluted water conveys two important pieces of information to the general public: First, that the water in Washington is polluted; and second, that they drink water in Washington.

THE bill to provide for the payment of the burial of deceased soldiers and sailors who do not leave enough money to defray that expense was quickly passed over the Governor's veto. It seems right that the country that received the benefit of their services should at least provide for them a respectable funeral. We are glad our State government is at least patriotic enough to do so.

"Republicans of Pennsylvania."

General Beaver was the guest of the Young Men's Republican Club of Philadelphia on Thursday night. The occasion was a notable one. Letters of regret for non attendance were received from Blaine and Logan. The first toast of the evening, "The Republicans of Pennsylvania," was responded to by Gen. Beaver as follows:

"When you ask me to respond to this toast you bid me enter a wide domain, abounding in opportunity for free expression through memory and imagination. Within its limitless confines you can find the golden grain of memory, the waving field of thought and the springing blade of future endeavor. The Republicans of Pennsylvania! Where can I begin? There you see half a million of men who had a belief of their own, who measured their political belief by no man's creed, but who recognized that success must come through organization, and so submitted their minor opinion to the duty of organizing the party which has responded by rising to the level of the belief of its members. The Republican party, like all other parties that ever existed, will rise so long as its members rise. We may lag behind what some men may consider her true goal, yet it is true of the Republican party of Pennsylvania that the general average of her thought is right, and, while we cannot go so fast as some would have us, we are all in line and will reap the fullest fruits of political progress in this country. [Cheers]

"There are several things that seem to me to make the Republican party great. The first is purity of purpose. For thirty years she has led the van of thought in this country and in all has tended to make the nation greater. Purity of purpose has been the guilding star. Defeat never injured that purpose. Men who saw the party born followed it until victory perched upon their standard, as they always will until successful. [Applause.] Strength of conviction is another point, and also capacity for administration. It looks to me like a great crisis in the Government's history when men are called to represent it abroad who do not believe in the principles on which it is founded. I don't believe a Phelps is equal to a Lowell. I am afraid I had better stop, for I might get excited. [Cries of "Go on!"] I have no particular objection to the present Administration and would go as far as most men in reaching out my hand over the 'bloody chasm,' but I say it is a great crisis in a country when it picks out men whose only excuse is that they said as bitter things against their own country as against that to which they were accredited. Look through the twenty-five years of our administration and you will see no blunder like that. [Cheers.]

"There was a time in '61 when wholesale appointments were made in Washington because the men who left the places vacant had gone into the Rebellion and betrayed their country. There were in Lincoln's Administration and there have been since many and many men who held places because they were well qualified for them, who, at the same time, differed entirely from the Administration in their political views. It seems that we can carefully scan the promises of those who make them on the eve of election and trust the party that has wisdom to plan and ability to execute. I might show how our system of finance has grown and our immense practical charities have increased, but the feathers are off the snipe, and they are on the table. So we had better turn to them. I may mention, however, the McMichaels, the Higmans, the Clayborns, and hosts of others who stood by the party in its organization. They have fought the good fight and have finished their course. We who remain are still in favorable circumstances—I was going to say ascendancy—[great applause]—and I will say it, for the Republicans are stronger to-day in Pennsylvania than ever before, and I firmly believe we are so in the country also. All that is required of you, young men, is to bide your time, and you will surely be called to power."

THE Clearfield *Democrat*, we are told, calls General Beaver a "vain old soldier." We do not suppose it will make any difference to Gen. Beaver or anybody else what the *Democrat* may call him. Very few people know what the *Democrat* is, anyway. Judging from its name and contents, it is probably a Democratic sheet. Isn't it strange that Democratic editors take every opportunity they can to fling mud at the soldiers? Well, it is not so strange, either; because many of them, we suppose, are angry because the war did not result differently. They would like the Rebels to have won the contest and the Negroes to have remained in slavery. Now, the only revenge they can take is to fling dirt at those who fought for the Union. The bravest soldiers receive the worst abuse and of course Gen. Beaver comes in for a large part of it. In view of the fact that Democrats have heaped nothing but abuse and slander upon Northern men during the past six months, and have extolled to the skies the most rampant rebels of the south (passing Gen. Beaver with indifference, at Washington, while hurrahing loudest for Gen. Fitz Hugh Lee), we doubt if a soldier can ever again consent to vote with that party. It was enough for the soldiers that they fought and now are willing to forgive; but now at the expiration of 20 years and in their old age to be compelled to eat crow is asking too much.

IT is said that a movement has been commenced among the Irish in Philadelphia to refuse to buy anything that is manufactured in England. This is perfectly proper, and we would be quite willing to see it carried further. It would give us pleasure to have every resident of this country refuse to buy goods of foreign manufacture. This country would gain much and lose nothing by such a course. If there is anything in all the catalogue of trade that Americans cannot manufacture as perfectly as Europeans can, let us secure workmen from those countries who will teach us to do so. While there is one needy workman unemployed in our country it seems almost a crime to buy anything that was manufactured abroad. This policy would be pursued, not in the spirit which probably animates the Irish toward the English—that of hate—but with a view only to the protection of our trade and our own safety.

A SYNDICATE, composed mainly of English capitalists, has within the past year quietly bought up all the black walnut lumber it could find in this country, and is now shipping it to Europe. The syndicate has had buyers out wherever there was a tree to be had. When its systematic buying of lumber began the farmers did not fully understand its object, and in the majority of cases disposed of magnificent tracts of trees far below their value. When they did learn they more than doubled on the price they had been asking for their trees. About all the remaining walnut forests in Indiana are in Bartholomew and Jennings counties, while Ohio has been almost entirely stripped of them.

WE shall be pleased when the Republican politics of Pennsylvania can lead to the discussion of some more important topic than the respective merits of Quay and Magee. The most effective way to disgust people with the names of both these gentlemen before the state treasurer campaign begins is for the newspapers to continue printing two or three columns each day about them.

SIXTY-THREE Democratic members of the Indiana Legislature are applicants for Federal offices and the count is not yet complete.

A Modern Woman.

In many instances on record in recent days woman has filled a place which seems by nature to be designed more exclusively for man—and filled it well. One of these women has recently been staying in New York City preparatory to a trip to Europe. She is known as the "Texas Cattle Queen." She has dark, lustrous eyes, and a piquant countenance and manner that indicate her creole, French and Spanish parentage. She dresses fashionably and in good taste, and, so far as appearances go, she might have been born and bred in New York. Her education began at the Moravian School, in Bethlehem, Pa.

She says that she was married at 13 and left a widow at 17. Since then she has taken care of herself, looking after her father's plantation. She now has two large plantations in Texas and raises cotton, corn and sugar cane. Then she owns an opera house, some stores and a hotel in Houston, Texas. In relating the events of her exciting life she tells some very entertaining stories. Touching on the experience she has had, she said to a New York reporter:

"Well, I suppose I've had some. It isn't worth speaking of down there, but people here might think it interesting. I've traveled all over Texas, Arkansas, Missouri and the Indian Territory, mostly on horseback. Everybody knows me in the Southwest. This will be my third trip to Europe. I've never had anything that you'd call adventures that I know of; but you people here look at things so differently. Now, there's the cowboys. People think they are dreadful. Why, I've found more true gentlemen among them than anywhere else. Of course, once in a while they get lively and ride through town shouting and firing off their pistols at signs and chimneys; but we don't begrudge them a little fun now and then. Their work is hard enough. Do they ever kill anybody? Oh, sometimes, of course, people get hit by stray shots when the boys are on their rackets; but that's only accidental, you know. It doesn't amount to anything in Texas. People North have such funny ideas!"

She explained why it is she can afford to take the time which her frequent trips to Europe require, as follows:

"You see down there we buy everything early in the season, and then there no more paying to be done, nor any money coming in until the crop is gathered. I keep one set of books myself, and nobody could get the best of me if he wanted to. I have a good superintendent, too, I pay him $200 a month. I might get him for $150, but I'd rather pay $200; then he won't have to steal from me. I don't know whether it's because I'm such a good planter or because all the people help me every way they can, but for the last three years I've taken the $500 prize for having the first bale of cotton of the season in at Richmond, Texas."

When we allude to this modern woman we do not want any of our fair readers to suppose that we do not consider her just as worthy and admirable who makes less of a sensation in the world. Indeed, she is even more so; but this woman only illustrates what woman is capable of accomplishing.

Separated.

President Cleveland's sister the late lady of the White House, it is reported, has left him in a rage. She went to New York City and thence to her home in Holland Patent, N. Y. The reason is that the President seems determined to continue the same loose mode of life which he pursued while living at Albany and Miss Cleveland, who really seems to be quite a nice lady, does not like it and will not stand it. The President contends that so long as he gives the people good government, his private life need not concern them. Miss Cleveland, it seems, has opinions of her own on this subject, and considers it better that she and her brother live apart.

Will be Remembered.

The methods by which the Democrats gained power will not be forgotten by the people. The utterances of leading Republicans give indication that in coming contests all the inconsistencies and frauds of Democratic warfare will be pointed out. We quote two such gentlemen, the first General Beatty, of Ohio, who said recently:

"I want this (Ohio) election to mean something beside a scramble for the spoils of office. I want the South to understand that congressmen and presidential electors must be honestly chosen. In short, I want to reach that point where the majority will either rule or fight. If the freedmen are counted as a basis for representation, I insist upon their being counted at the polls as voters."

Senator Frye is quoted as follows: "There is hardly an intelligent man in the country who wouldn't, conscience speaking, admit that at least five state governments in the South have been worse than "stolen;" have been seized not only by fraud, tissue ballots and false counts, but, whenever necessary, by wholesale murder. Mississippi was wrested from the Republicans by the "shotgun campaign" of 1876, a present United States senator being the chairman of the Democratic Committee then running that campaign and a power in the distribution of Federal patronage. Another senator from the same State (Mr. Lamar) who gathered the fruits of that damnable campaign is at the head of the most important Government department, himself distributing patronage."

WHEN the Republican administration in Ohio went out it turned over a surplus of $600,000. That has disappeared, and taxes have been increased, and a large deficiency will have to be provided for by the next Legislature. Thus it always is with the Democrats. They have not financial ability or honesty sufficient to enable them to manage their own affairs and invariably incur huge expenses and become involved in debt.

EX SENATOR DAVIS, of West Virginia, was in Washington when that colossal deficiency of two cents was thought to have been discovered in the money in the Treasury vaults, and he insisted that it fully confirmed the charges he used to pour out against the Republican Administration six or eight years ago. Davis always was a sort of two-cent statesman.

IT is well to have a Bible revision every now and then, for some people are induced to read parts of it in the newspapers who never read a word of it in the book itself. Many are more critical than religious, and they look upon every new revised edition of the Bible with curiosity that a new edition of Robinson Crusoe or a new theory of Shakespeare inspires.

IF the Mormons know what is good for them, they will not resist arrest under the Edmunds law. The Nation is in no very pleasant frame of mind over this polygamy question just now, and armed resistance to the enforcement of laws would be very liable to get the Saints into trouble beside which six months in the penitentiary would seem a mere trifle.

WELL informed military men deny that the National Guard will be cut up and reduced in strength as much as reported. We trust they are correct in their statements, for it would be almost a calamity to impair the efficiency and strength of this arm of the public service.

THE taking testimony in the Sixth Congressional Districts of Iowa is reported to show far more than enough Democratic frauds and irregularities to unseat General Weaver, the Greenbacker. His majority on the face of the returns was only 67.

GENERAL NOTES.

Birmingham, Ala., now makes 400 tons of iron daily.

There are 25 incorporated cities in the State of New York.

The State of New York contains 100,000 French Canadians.

The salary of a lady in waiting to Queen Victoria is $2,500 per annum.

Thee are in the United States $4,000,000,000 of watered railway stock.

The first lodge of the Knights of Honor was organized in Louisville in 1872.

Regular shipments of rhubarb are now made from Salem, Oregon, to Boston.

Telephone subscribers in Mazatlan, Mex., pay an annual rental of only $5 per 'phone.

Mirrors of 100 square feet surface are now manufactured in France with but little difficulty.

The ordinary revenues of the city of Paris are 254,494,983 francs—$50,898,996—per annum.

The Ohio Valley, not Dakota, is the greatest centre of wheat production in the United States.

It has been said that swallows and sparrows forsake a district when cholera is about to appear.

Immense swarms of grasshoppers have appeared in Panola county, Tex., on the Louisiana border.

The inventor of barbs on fence wires receives $10,000 royalty a month, or $120,000 a year.

Buffalo manufacturers are equipping with full machinery several flouring mills located in the interior of Australia.

All of the principal daily papers in Mexico now take the daily telegraphic news report of the New York Associated Press.

The name of M. de Giers, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, which is now often seen in the papers, is pronounced "Geerch."

Protection, in the way of mail subsidies, cost Great Britain, last year, nearly $1,250,000 more than the amount received for postage.

Florida manufactured last year 60,298,732 cigars, an increase of 15,000,000 over the number made there in 1883. There are 157 factories in the State.

The United States Patent Office did a larger business during April than it did in any previous month. The applications for patents were 3159 and the fees $100,640.

The Manitoba troubles are stimulating an increased acreage of wheat on the Dakota side of the line, as it is thought there will be great reduction on the other side.

An old historian, in a book about Iceland, had a chapter on "The Horses of Iceland." The whole chapter consisted of these words: "There are no horses in Iceland."

At the local election in Long Branch, N. J., the question of changing the town for a city government was submitted to a vote of the people and was overwhelmingly defeated.

A school lot was recently sold in Los Angeles, Cal., for $12,000, which the city had bought in 1872 for $200, an increase of 6000 per cent. in the value of real estate in thirteen years.

There are unleavened bread bakeries in New Orleans, New York, Cincinnati and Chicago, but in no other cities in the Union. The bread is made of flour and water only into loaves a foot square, which are called matzos.

A gentleman in Dickson, Tenn., claims to have in his possession the hammer with which General Andrew Jackson's horses were shod while on his way to New Orleans. He is willing to dispose of it for the benefit of the Bartholdi fund.

A new sewing machine, for which it is claimed that it will do 80 per cent. more work than any now in use, has been invented by a Brooklyn mechanic. Under steam power, it is said to have moved with a speed of 2,200 stitches a minute.

Near Milwaukee resides a man who is such a firm believer in eternal punishment for sin by fire that he has decorated his cellar with painted flames, wooden demons and other horrible figures. To this place he takes his children to punish them.

A Georgia saloon-keeper makes the following announcement: "I wish to inform the people that I will close out my bar by the last of April, and now is the time to have your jugs filled to use for snake bites. Come at once. A good lot of whiskey on hand."

The first gun of the coming State elections will be fired by Oregon the first Monday in June. At the last State election the Republicans had a majority of nearly 1,500; at the Presidential election they had a plurality of 2,500, and a majority of 14 on joint ballot in the legislature.

A harmless crank has made an affidavit that the ice at the poles of the earth is causing such hydraulic and hydrostatic pressure, that earthquakes are frequent, and that the planet is in imminent danger of smashing up. He has asked the New York Board of Education to send three well-known professors to investigate the impending calamity.

Poetry.

THE PRETTY ROLLER SKATER.

BY JOEL BENTON.

A group of merry skaters at the rink went
nightly round;
Like the grinding of a grist mill rose that dry,
persistent sound;
And I nightly went to watch them from the
gallery's lofty place,
For the poetry and motion seemed to thrill
each form and face.

Some were full-grown men and women, some
were youths and maidens fair.
Some were children of all sizes, penetrating
everywhere;
All were stirred by sport and frolics as if life
were running o'er—
'Twas a pretty sight to witness on the hard
and burnished floor.

One, arrayed in bright, gray costume, so bewitchingly did skate
That my heart when she was coming would
most wildly palpitate;
Without doubt the village beauty was this
young and rosy lass,
And she tore my heart to tatters every time I
saw her pass.

She could step in any fashion, turn her feet
each dangerous way,
Pose in figures quite coquettish, backward
sweep with dangerous sway,
On the floor she fairly floated, seeming free of
thought or care,
While fairy-like and half enchanted streamed
the ribbons from her hair.

Sometimes in her gay gyrations upward beamed her pretty face,
Which was all aglow with roses from the ardor
of her race;
Then I fancied she had seen me, for she paused
and skated slow,
But among so many others how could she my
passion know?

To that town I came a stranger—no one knew
me there I think,
Looking every night in wonder on this siren
of the rink;
And I marvelled, when so many were in dual
marches thrown,
That she got no fellow's offer, but kept skating
on alone.

Are the young men all demented? thought I,
as she whirled along;
For their coldness seemed surprising, doing
human nature wrong;
And I vowed, if she would take me (though I
knew not how to skate)
I would stumble off on rollers and whirl with
her a *tete-a-tete*.

So I rallied the director, who was owner of the
rink,
And while proffering my credentials, "You are
Mr. Smith, I think,"
Said I in the blandest manner, but with diffidence, I own,
"Would you name me that fair damsel who is
skating all alone?"

Here I thought a shrewd discretion was becoming on my part;
It would never do to tell him she had skated
through my heart;
"What! that young girl in gay costume?" said
he, without a stare or frown;
"She's our 'Champion Roller Skater'—she's—
a tailor's wife in town."

I have never tried the rollers, and I never
shall, I think;
I have something else to think of than a noisy
skating rink,
People say that all who use them fall and
flounder on the floor;
So, dismissing all delusions, I skipped straightway through the door.

—*Harpers Magazine for May.*

AMERICANISM.

"What an eloquent sermon," said Jones to his
wife,
As he glow'd on the pastor's theme,
"I knew when he dwelt on the future life,
You were wrapt in a heavenly dream."

"Yes, my soul was absorbed, dear John, for a
while,
As charmed by a spell, and that
Which enchanted me most," said Irene, with a
smile,
"Was Louisa's sweet duck of a hat."

—*New Orleans Picayune.*

Our Story Teller.

The Amber Beads' Charm.

A LESSON FOR ALL.

"The house seems so still without Lettie," said Mrs. Austin, as she sat knitting at the farm house door. "She has been married six months now, and I declare to goodness, it seems more like six years. I never would have thought how much I was attached to her, and—" suddenly pausing, Lettie Vincent, the dimpled, dainty little girl who had been brought up in this very farmhouse, came flying up into Mrs. Austin's arms.

"Why, Lettie, this never ain't you? Nothing ain't happened, I hope?"

"Oh, no, aunty," sobbed the girl; "but I did want to see you so much. So, as soon as Bertie went down to the office, I took the express train, and ran down to spend the day with you," and here, to Mrs. Austin's surprise, Lettie burst into tears.

"Well, 'pon my word," said the old lady, "what is the trouble? Ain't you happy?"

"No, I am not; no, indeed I am not!"

"And why, in the name of common sense, ain't you happy? You loved him and he loved you; and when you two were married, and went away from here, I never seen two folks worse in love with each other."

"Yes, I know; but Bertie don't love me as he used to."

"Well, whose fault is that."

"Not mine, I am sure of that. Nobody can be expected to be as amiable as an angel; and if he doesn't want me to speak, why, he shouldn't be everlasting finding fault."

"Mrs. Austin's face clouded, and she said:

"Ah, I see, I see! It's the little foxes that's a destroying the grapes. You could stand a severe test of your affections, but—"

Lettie interrupted spiritedly:

"But not these little pricking, wearing trials! Oh, aunty, what shall I do?"

"Lettie," said Mrs. Austin, after a little silence, "all this is no new tale for me to listen to; when I was first married I passed through just such an experience."

"You did, aunty?"

"For a little while; but it soon passed away."

"But how?" Lettie asked eagerly.

"Well, I used a charm," Mrs. Austin answered.

"A charm?"

Lettie looked incredulous.

"Exactly a charm," repeated Mrs. Austin. "I inherited it from my mother."

"Oh, aunty! What was it?"

"Well, dear, I don't mind telling you. Indeed, I think I will give you the charm itself."

As she spoke she unclasped a string of amber beads from her neck—old fashioned globes of glittering beauty, twenty of them strung on a piece of silken ribbon.

"Why, your amber beads, aunty," Lettie cried.

"Yes, they are my magic spell, but I didn't wear 'em around my neck in those days—I carried them hidden in my pocket. So must you. Don't let Bertie suspect that they are there—that is part of the charm. But when he speaks a little sharp, and you feel like snapping back a little more sharp, stop point blank and count three of those beads on your fingers. You have heard there's something strange about amber. You'll find it all out, and after you have counted off three beads you can say just what you please."

Lettie laughed a little angrily.

"You are making fun of me, aunty," she said.

"No, I ain't," she said, gravely. "I don't expect you to believe it, but I do ask you to give it a fair trial."

"But it seems so ridiculous!"

"Plenty of good things seem ridiculous at first, but I know if you won't utter a syllable, after you have been vexed by Bertie, until you say one, two, three—one for faith, two for hope and three for charity—then mark my words, child, you will find the amber chain will work."

"Well," Lettie said, taking the beads and glancing at them, superstitiously, "but I am certain they won't do any good."

"And I am certain they will," said the old lady cheerfully.

When Lettie went back home that night in the solitary summer twilight, Bertie Vincent was there before her, impatiently pacing the floor.

"Well," he said, sharply, "I don't know that I particularly admire to come home and find the house deserted. Why could you not have told me that you were going away?"

"Because I am not a three-year-old baby to have to ask leave every time I go out. That is the reason why."

These words was the answer that rose hotly to Lettie's lips, but she suddenly remembered the amber charm, and slipping her hand down into her pocket, deliberately counted off three of the glittering globes; and by the time she had finished the one for faith, two for hope, and three for charity, a little of the dreariness of the unlighted apartment struck into her own heart, and she realized it was a cheerless place for Bertie to come home to.

"I didn't mean to stay so late," she said, cheerily. "But I did want to go and see aunty so badly, and perhaps I should have told you that I thought of spending the day at the farm. I'll light the gas in a minute, dear."

Bertie's frown faded away.

"Well, suppose we both go down on Sunday, Lettie? I declare I don't wonder you want to go; for it is insufferably stupid for you here all day long alone, with only the canary and the kitten for company. Now sit down and let me read the paper to you until you get rested."

And an almost superstitious thrill passed through Lettie's heart, as she realized the success of the amber charm.

Next morning, Mr. Vincent, dressing in a hurry, found a button off his shirt.

"If here isn't another button gone,' he exclaimed, angrily dashing the shirt to the floor. "It does seem to me you might be a little more careful about such things, Lettie."

A sharp retort trembled on Lettie's tongue, but like lightning the amber charm flashed across her memory; and the Faith, Hope and Charity trio were called to her relief.

"I will look them all over this morning, Bertie. You shall find every button right after this."

As she spoke, she laid out another shirt not buttonless, and he laughed happily.

"I shouldn't have spoken so quickly," said he. "But you know what a button off a man's shirt is to his temper."

When he had gone to the office, leaving an affectionate good-bye on Lettie's sweet face, she drew out her amber charm and divided Bertie's kiss with it.

"You darling old thing," she said aloud. "Bertie does love me, and thanks to you, my blessed trio, I am learning to control this pettish, wayward tongue of mine a little."

Autumn leaves were falling when she went down to the old farmhouse again.

"Well, dear," said Mrs. Austin, "and how does the spell work!"

"Oh, aunty!" she cried, 'I am so happy! I am so thankful to you! And if I can only keep those precious old beads forever—"

"Of course, my dear, of course keep 'em as long as you want 'em. Only as far as there being a charm is concerned—"

"You needn't tell me, aunty, about that." And Lettie laughed and colored. "I know it is not the three beads so much as the stopping to think. But who would think that little way of stopping to count would be actual discipline for ourselves? I know I was always quick and irritable; but, aunty, I am learning to control my temper. And if I live a hundred years, I feel that I must have my 'faith, hope and charity' charm."

"And so you shall, dear," said Mrs. Austin, and so she took off her glasses and wiped away the mist of tears that had gathered on them.

"Because," Lettie added, "they have, no doubt, been to me a precious charm.

The Temple of Baalbec.

Rev. Henry M. Field, D. D., after his return from an extended tour through Eastern countries, has published a book on India and the Holy Land which is both instructive and entertaining. Doctor Field, in a letter to the *Evangelist*, of which he is the editor, thus describes the ruins that mark the place where the grandest of ancient cities is believed to have existed:

The ruins of the ancient city of Baalbec, situated on the plain forty-three miles northwest of Damascus, are the wonder of modern architects.

Everything is colossal. The area is larger than that of the temple at Jerusalem. We may begin with the walls, which are half a mile around, and of such height and depth as are rarely attained in the most tremendous fortresses. Where from within I climbed to the top, it made me giddy to look over the perilous edge to the depth below; and when from without the walls I looked up at them, they rose high in the air. Some of the stones seem as if they had been reared in place, not by Titans, but by the gods. There are nine stones 30 feet long and 10 feet thick, which is larger than the foundation stones of the temple at Jerusalem dating from the time of Solomon, or any blocks in the great Pyramid.

But even these are pygmies compared with the three giants of the western wall, 62 feet, 63½ feet, 64 feet long. These are said to be the largest stones ever used in any construction. They weigh hundreds of tons, and instead of being merely hewn out of a quarry which might have been on the site, and left to lie where they were before, they have been lifted 19 feet from the ground, and there embedded in the wall. Never was there such cyclopean architecture. How such masses could have been moved is a problem with modern engineers.

Sir Charles Wilson, whom I met in Jerusalem, is at this moment in Baalbec. Standing in the grounds of the temple, he tells me that in the British Museum there is an ancient tablet which reveals the way such stones were moved. The mechanics were very simple; rollers were put under them, and they were drawn up inclined planes by sheer human muscle—the united strength of great numbers of men. In the rude design of the tablet the whole scene is pictured to the eye.

There are battalions of men, hundreds to a single roller, with the taskmasters standing over them, lash in hand, which was freely applied to make them pull together, and the king sitting on high to give the signal for this putting forth of human strength *en masse* as if an army were moving to battle. A battle it was in the waste of human life it caused. These temples of Baalbec must have been a whole generation in building, and have consumed the population of a province and the wealth of an empire.

Didn't Take the Hint

"Ah, good morning, Mr. Bizzimann!" exclaimed the affable Bore, sitting down by Bizzimann's elbow and elevating his feet to the top of Bizzimann's table; "glad to see you, fine day."

"Yes," replied Bizzimann, sadly, "a fine day to be out, sir."

"Just so," replied the affable Bore, the hint falling from his thick hide like a child's arrow from a crocodile's skin; "just so; should think you'd die sitting here all day; but then you have lots of friends dropping in every now and then, no doubt."

"No, no; my friends are all busy attending to their own affairs."

"Are they? well that's too bad."

"Yes, but then I wouldn't ask anybody to stay in this dull, musty, old office longer than five minutes, especially on such a splendid day as this is outside."

"Oh! you are too thoughtful of others' comfort. But I shan't allow you to punish yourself. I'll stay with you—got nothing else to do—just as lief put in a day here as anywhere."

"All right!" said Bizzimann with a sad smile, rising and putting on his hat and coat; "all right. If anybody calls say I shall be back some time next week. Good day. Hope you'll enjoy yourself."

Post Office Signs.

In the post office at Golden, Col., has long been displayed the following answer-saving notice:

Notice Extraordinary: Is this the money order window? Yes.

Do you register letters at the same window? Yes. Sell stamps? Yes. And is this the general delivery also? Yes.

Why don't you have two windows and let your clerk attend to one? Answer—Government does not allow offices of this size clerks, and as there is but one regularly employed, I think one window at a time is enough to attend to.

Beside this is a somewhat later one, in which the postmaster says:

I have to get out of this shebang about the 1st of August coming, and I want to close out all of this store truck before that time, and if any of you have the welfare of a fellow being at heart and are fond of a good smoke, walk right up to the counter and drop your shekels—you will never get another such chance.

Put none but fat men on guard. Minister Hubbard, who goes to Japan, weighs 450, while Minister Bell, who goes to Hague, weighs 260 pounds.

Herat.

Herat, the city of Afghanistan which the Russians propose to seize in the teeth of British opposition, is probably one of the oldest cities in the world. The armies of Alexander the Great marched by it on their way to found those Greek kingdoms in Bactria and the valley of the Indus which have long been forgotten; and it was visited in person by the great Macedonian himself, whose mighty memory still lingers in legends popular from the western coast of Africa even to the furthest isles of the Indian Ocean,—the legends of *Iskander*. At the time of Alexander's coming (327 B. C.) It formed the capital of the nation whom ancient historians called Areians, vassals of the Persian King; and bore the name of Artacoana. When the Greeks founded their Bactrian kingdom in the regions now known as Beloochistan, Afghanistan and Turkestan, Herat became a Greek city; and recent English travelers relate having met wandering tribes on steppes who claim decent from the soldiers of Alexander. But as the old Kings of Malacca also, and the rulers of Sumatra and other islands claim a similar ancestry, it may be that the tradition of the Asiatic nomads is only a version of the same legend referred to fragmentarily in the Koran, the legend of Iskander Dhoul' Karnein, who marched even to the setting of the sun (Sura xviii, 82 98). However, great numbers of Græco-Bactrian coins have been found north of the Hindoo Kush.

But the great prosperity of Herat began in the first century of Mohammedanism (about 700 A. D.) when it was the capital of Khorassan, itself, together with much of Turkestan was incorporated into the great Turkoman Kingdom of Bokhara. All through the Middle ages it remained rich and populous—even under the dynasties of the Seljukian Sultans and afterward under that of the Sultans of Khiva. With other cities of Central Asia, it became famous for its learning, its luxury and its riches; and an Arabic proverb of the Middle Ages says: "Science is a plant whose roots grow at Mecca, but whose fruits ripen in Khorassan. Khorassan and neighboring States were ruined by the great Tartar invasion in the thirteenth century; regions of earthly paradise were changed into deserts, and Herat was destroyed by the armies of Genghis Khan. Yet it arose from its ashes, and actually developed into a sort of free city. Baber, who visited it in the sixteenth century, was amazed at its beauty; for it was made great by the dynasty of Tamerlane, who made it the seat of a viceregal government for all the provinces south of Oxus. The influence of the Mogul conquerers of Delhi was highly beneficial to Herat at a later day; and its prosperity waned only in the beginning of the sixteenth century, when Ismail Shah, of Persia, a furious Shiah, persecuted the Sunnites of Herat, and successfully sought to destroy the city's trade by founding the rival city of Meshed. The Turkish States north of the Oxus also decayed; and in 1717, when the city was attacked by a strange race of conquerors, it cried for help in vain. The new masters of Herat were the Afghans, a barbarian and warlike people of the mountains, who founded the province of Afghanistan. Since that time Herat has been alternately captured and recaptured many times, during civil or foreign wars. Persia took it in 1856, with Russian connivance; but England at once declared war upon the Shah and forced him to give it up. It is now a decaying metropolis, but important strategically above any other city in Afghanistan, and under civilized rulers might be developed into a magnificent commercial centre.

According to the London *News*, in the latter part of the twelfth century Herat contained 1,200 retail stores, 6,000 public baths, 350 colleges and universities, and not less than 144,000 houses. Even in 1830 it had about 50,000 inhabitants, in spite of a long series of frightful misfortunes; but under the barbarous rule of the Afghans the population has dwindled to 20,000. It is two hundred and twenty miles from Merv, by way of Sarakhs and the Heri-Rud river, and 369 miles from Candahar. If Russia seizes Merv, England can only counter-act her maleficent influence in Afghanistan by seizing Candahar. Some years ago a railroad was commenced from India to the verge of the plains of Candahar to pass by the military frontier station of Quettah, but was foolishly left unfinished. It could not now be completed in time to be of much value in aiding the concentration of troops at Quettah; and if ever finished at all, Russia will probably have her railroad completed from the Caspian to Merv about the same time.

The Modern Gymnasium.

He looked like a dude and apparently had not enough strength to hurt a fly, but he got into a dispute with a street car magnate, the magnate became abusive and the angry patron of the company suddenly shot out his right hand and landed the magnate on his back.

Too much amazed to get angry, the official picked himself up and humbly asked:

"How under the canopy did you get such strength in your arms?"

"Hanging for twenty years on to your street car straps," was the chilling reply."

No charge for the moral.

Beef tea is dispensed over many of the bars in New York.

"Tim."

They said the train was an hour behind time, and that information made us all feel put out and annoyed. Therefore, when a boy of about 14, poorly dressed and having a trampish look, came along the platform asking for financial aid to get him down to R—— on the train we were waiting for, it was but natural that one and all replied:

"If you want to go to R—— take the dirt road! You look as if you were used to tramping!"

He had no saucy word in reply. When he went and stood in the light of the window, and I saw how he shivered in the cold wind, and how worried and anxious he seemed to be. I grew ashamed of my gruff words. I saw two or three others look him over as I had done, and I had no doubt that they felt as I did. I ought to have walked up to the boy and said:

"Here, my lad, if you really want to go down to R——, I'm willing to help you. Take this half dollar. How happens it that a lad of your age is cold, ragged, hungry and away from home and friends?"

But I didn't. I edged towards him, ashamed, and yet not quite ready to acknowledge it to him, and all of a sudden he disappeared. I reasoned that he had gone up the hill to the village, and that his pretending to want to go to R—— was all a trick to beat honest men. When you reason that way the heart grows hard pretty fast, and you feel a bit revengeful. We talked the matter over—four or five of us—and the conclusion was that the boy would die on the gallows.

Well the train came along after a while; and it was moving away, after a brief stop, when a piercing shriek, followed by shouts and calls, brought us to a stop.

"Somebody's been run over!" called a voice, and in a moment the coaches were emptied.

Yes, somebody had been run over—had a leg cut off above the knee by one of the cruel wheels. Who was it? How did it happen? It was our boy—the lad who was to end his days on the gallows. He had crept under the coach to steal a ride on the trucks. There he was having only a few minutes to live—his face as white as the snow banks—his eyes roving from face to face—his lips quivering as twenty men bent down and spoke words of sympathy.

"Who are you?" asked the conductor.

"Tim!"

"You shouldn't have tried it."

But I wanted to get to R—— so bad! I was up here to find work, but nobody would have me, and yesterday I heard that mother was dead!"

"But anybody would have given you sixty cents to pay your fare."

"Oh, no they wouldn't. I asked lots and lots of men and they said I ought to be in jail. I—I—wanted—!"

There we were—the half dozen of us who had repelled him with insult—wrung his heart still more—sent him to his horrible death under the wheels! We dared not look into his face—we even shunned each other.

If it could only come to pass again—if heaven would but send him back to earth and let him stand before us as he did that winter's night—but it is too late!—*Detroit Free Press.*

Self-Possession and Ability.

Self possession is something apart from ability. It is more in one direction and less in another. Many persons of great abilities are painfully lacking in self-possession, and others of small powers are rarely at a loss. It comes rather through a fair degree of self knowledge and a practical exercise of those abilities, great or small, which we do possess. Our own experience shows us this. Most of us are self possessed in at least one direction, and that we shall find to be the case in which we have had the most constant practice and the best opportunities of testing ourselves. The mechanic or business man or woman, or artist or philosopher, may be undecided, vacillating, constrained and ill at ease in general society, or in political circles, or in a hundred other situations, but in their respective employments or in matters closely connected with them, they at once assume a calm and assured manner that tells of their regained self-possession.

A Historical Pension.

A pension which had been regularly paid for 502 years has just come to an end in Switzerland, and the Cantonal Government of Solure, the paymasters, so much regret its extinction that they are advertising for an heir. In 1382 Count Rudolph of Kibourg marched to the assault of the town of Solure, against which his ancestors had long entertained treasonable designs. But one Hans Roth, a peasant living in a neighboring village, was on the alert and carried to the townspeople intelligence of what was brewing, and Solure was saved. For this very substantial service Hans was rewarded with an immunity to himself and his heirs forever. The last inheritor, the *jude de paix* Roth, has lately died, and all the Roths in Switzerland are now looking up their pedigrees.

The Difference.

"What are you looking for?" asked Farmer Furrow of a tramp who was prowling around the kitchen early one morning.

"Oh, I was only looking for work."

"Ah, yes, I see; trying to get up an appetite for breakfast, eh!"

"Well, not exactly."

"What then?"

"I was trying to get a breakfast for my appetite." He got it—in his mind.—*N. Y. Journal.*

All Sorts.

Love's trials—Younger brothers.

Love gives insight and insight often gives foreboding.

They are happy whose natures sort with their vocations.

When creek meets creek then comes the annual spring freshet.

Good will, like a good name, is got by many actions, and lost by one.

The master is respected according to the discretion and good breeding of his servants.

If punishment reaches not the mind and makes the will supple, it hardens the offender.

In Boston there are 669 licensed wholesale milk dealers, and 2,373 licensed retailers of milk.

Coal is said to have been discovered "in the heart of Mexico." Hope Mexico will not have the heartburn.

My heart, like the world about me, came forth to meet the sunshine, and thawed after its long winter.

Wickedness may prosper for a while, but at the long run he that sets all knaves at work will pay them.

Statistics show that in Massachusetts since 1857 pneumonia has grown almost twice as fast as the population.

Some men are so covetous, as if they were to live forever, and others so profuse, as if they were to die the next moment.

"Round waists are still fashionable," and the young men will see that the fashion is not changed for want of pressing.

What must be shall be; and that which is a necessity to him that struggles is little more than a choice to him that is willing.

An Irishman tells of a fight in which there was only one whole nose left in the crowd, and that belonging to the taykettle.

The person who has a firm trust in the Supreme Being is powerful in his power, wise by his wisdom, happy by his happiness.

The late James T. Fields used to say of certain idealists that they were "ever striving after the ineffable and never paid cash."

A French physician has written a long letter on the advantages of groaning and crying. One is that neither will be mistaken for singing.

In the agitation of the trouble between England and Russia it seems that the ruler of Afghanistan is regarded as nothing more than Ameer dummy.

"How can I find out all about the young lady to whom I am engaged?" asks a prospective Benedick. Has she a younger brother? If so, consult him.

There is some help for all the defects of fortune, for if a man cannot attain to the length of his wishes, he may have his remedy by cutting of them shorter.

An old colored man who had imbibed too freely of New Jersey apple-jack said: "Some people is filled with delight, but I'se filled with de lightning."

You may have seen a young man on one side of a gate and a maiden on the other side. Why they talk so long is because a great deal can be said on both sides.

A young man sent twelve stamps to an advertiser to learn "how to make money fast," and was advised in reply to glue a five dollar bill to the bottom of his trunk.

A man in Wilkesbarre, Pa., recently attempted suicide by swallowing a paper of tacks. This might not kill a man, but it would probably make him considerably stuck up.

"Diamonds found in a dream" is head line in a cotemporary. If this story can be authenticated its author can realize a handsome sum by disclosing what he ate before he went to bed.

It is stated that out of one hundred men who parade in a brass band at least forty are dummies and only pretend to play. It will be seen that bands are more considerate than is generally supposed.

"Here, Jenks, that watch you traded me two weeks ago and warranted to be a good horse-timer won't keep any time at all. It won't go more'n half the time." "Well, I told you it was a first-class stop-watch."

The Lowell Press Rifle Club is the only organization of marksmen in the country that habitually holds rifle-shoots without a target. A target would be a useless superfluity at the these festive occasions.

A New York circus is advertising for the second year a sacred white elephant. An animal that can keep the company of circus men for a year and remain sacred must certainly be a curiosity worth stealing under the tent to see.

An Illinois man is to be made an Indian agent for a year, and then will be appointed Collector of the Port of Chicago. It is a well-ascertained fact that at least a year among the outlying heathen is requisite in order to stand Chicago.

Bribery in any form is despicable and is as skillful in its mode of working as it is difficult to counteract; but if any genius will discover a plan by which a gas meter can be bribed to tell the truth the world will arise and call him blessed.

A shrewd Indianapolis man, out of work, wrote an unsigned note, stating that he had drowned himself, and begging that the canal might be dragged for the body. Then he applied to the authorities and secured the job of dragging for the body, and cleared a hundred dollars from the work.

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The Payment of a Check.

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MR. JOHN WANAMAKER, in a terse letter to the Springfield *Republican* disposes of the criticism that paper made upon his course with respect to the awarding of the Massachusetts State contract for militia overcoats. He makes the justice of his position so clear that the *Republican* is compelled to admit that "the overcoat issue has evidently got to a point where the Legislature should either investigate the facts or call upon the Quartermaster General for an explanation." It adds that it is best that it should be known whether "the Military Department sacrificed over $5000 rather than allow the contract to go out of the state, although it had been advertised outside and favoritism of locality had been expressly disclaimed."

—For a long time the merchants of this place have closed their business places promptly at 8 o'clock. The rule seems to be still observed very generally by the grocery establishments, but we are informed that some of the dry goods houses are open until quite late. The grocery merchants complain that there is no use in this and if one party to a contract lives up to what he has promised all should. Now this move to give the clerks and merchants a few hours rest and recreation was a most admirable one and we hope it will be continued. All should remember to close their stores at 8 o'clock and purchasers should govern themselves accordingly.

A High-toned Wedding.

At Christ church Cathedral, Fredrickton, N. B., on April 30, 1885, by His Lordship, the Metropolitan of Canada, assisted by the Rev. G. Goodbridge Roberts, D. St. George Fraser, C. & M. E., of Houtzdale, Pa., to Mary Eloise, eldest daughter of the late John Gregory, Esq., of Acacia Grove, Fredrickton, N. B.—*Altoona Times.*

An Ostrich with a Wooden Leg.

Anaheim (Cal.) Gazette.

Some time ago the rare and ludicrous sight of an ostrich with a wooden leg might have been seen at the ostrich farm. The ostriches first hatched were deficient in bone structure, a fact which is attributed to the deficiency of a certain element in the food of the parent birds—a deficiency which has now been supplied. The bones of the legs in these young chicks were very soft and breakable, and much of the mortality among them was due to broken legs. As an experiment, Superintendent Sketchly—who is an M. D.—amputated the leg of one of the birds which had broken it accidentally below the knee, and strapped on a wooden leg, upon which the bird strutted around for some time. Those who have seen the ungainly and mincing gait of the ostrich when equipped with natural legs can imagine what a peculiar step one of them would have with an artificial limb. Unfortunately, the bird thus singularly equipped broke his leg above the knee and died.

The White House History.

The White House covers about one-third of an acre, and its cost up to the present time, about $2,000,000. It is modeled after a castle in Dublin and the architect, who was a South Carolina man named Hoban, got $500 for drawing the plans. When it was first built, away back in the nineties, it cost $300,000, but the British burned out its insides, and its cost has since added to that sum about $1,700,000. In it all of the Presidents since Washington have lived, and each has added to its beauties and its expenses. I think it was John Quincy Adams who bought the first billiard table which was used in it. But in John Adams' time it was only half finished, and Abigail Adams used to dry her clothes in the big east room. Year by year, however, the furnishing has gone on until now it is a sort of museum of art and beauty.—*Washington Letter.*

A Boston tailor stamps his billheads with a picture of the forget-me-not. He should substitute the golden rod, the significance of which is "Down with the dust."

The lazy fellow who emigrates to escape hard times carries his hard times with him.

Miscellaneous.

Where the Fire is Out.

Magic no More a Mystery—Seen from Across the World.

"Haroum of Aleppo" said Sir Philip Derval, "had mastered every secret in nature which the nobler magic seeks to fathom. He discovered that the true art of healing is to assist Nature to throw off the disease—to summon, as it were, the whole system to eject the enemy that has fastened on a part. His processes all included the reinvigoration of the principle of life."

In this the Eastern sage merely anticipated the practice of the best physicians of to-day. What life itself is, nobody knew then—nobody knows now. But we have learned something of the reasons why the mysterious tide rises and falls. Provided the great organs of the body are not irreparably destroyed, medical science can always relieve, and often save. Yet no reputable physician now adheres to the barbarous and stupid processes of depletion, such as bleeding, by which it was attempted to cure disease by reducing the patient's ability to resist it. Now-a-days we do not tear down the fort to help the garrison—we strengthen it.

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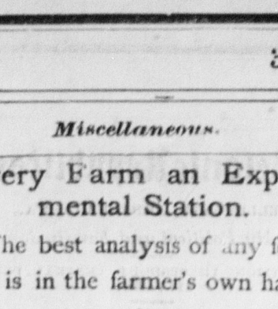

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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

A Jump of 115 Feet.

NEW YORK, May 19.—Professor Odlum, formerly director of the Natatorium at Washington and more recently engaged at Old Point Comfort, jumped from the Brooklyn bridge into the East river this afternoon and died soon after being taken from the water.

The professor having eluded the police quickly divested himself of his clothes and appeared clad in a red shirt and trunks. He quickly made his way to the top of the bridge and, poising himself for a moment, he stood erect and glanced hurriedly at the surface of East river far below him. The people who were on the bridge in that vicinity sent up a cry of horror when they saw Professor Odlum, without a moment's hesitation, leap out from a railing into the air. He held one hand over his head as a rudder to guide him in his descent. The river below was at the moment clear of shipping.

A tug and schooner floated in the stream several hundred yards below the bridge. The tug was filled with reporters and club-men. Captain Paul Boyton stood near the prow, anxiously watching the bridge. The moment Odlum's body was seen to leave the railing Henry E. Dixey, started a stop watch which he held in his hand, in order to time the descent. For nearly a hundred feet the professor came down all right, feet foremost, with the speed of a meteor, his red suit making him easily discernable. When within thirty feet of the water his body began to turn. As if realizing his danger, Odlum brought down his hand with a wave like motion, to aid him in recovering his balance. The movement was, however, made too late. His body had now turned so far that it was impossible to change its course.

Half a second later, with a mighty splash that threw up water on all sides, as if torn with a shell, Odlum's body struck the water on one side and sank out of sight. When he appeared on the surface, blood mingled with froth came from his mouth. He was with difficulty dragged into a boat and transferred to the tug, where restoratives were administered. After considerable rubbing, his eyes opened and sought the face of Captain Boyton. "What kind of a jump did I make?" he whispered. "First-class," responded the captain. "You'll be all right in a little while." He quickly became insensible again, and the tug steered for Old Slip. Just as the pier was reached, a shudder passed through the frame of the professor, and then, after breathing heavily once or twice, his heart stopped beating and death came to his relief. The body was taken to an undertaker's.

Afloat on a Torrent.

WILLIAMSPORT, May 15.—At 2 o'clock this morning a break occurred on the Pennsylvania Canal, near Hill's Station, and a boarding flat, occupied by Luke Bryington, wife and child and canal employees was swept into the river. Everybody escaped from the flat but the woman and her child.

Bryington jumped through a window and pushed a plank in to save his wife, when the safety ropes broke and the flat was dashed into a gully, where it lodged against a tree with such violence as to knock the end out and precipiate the woman into the rushing waters. She held on to the child until carried out into the river, when it was torn away from her and disappeared in the darkness. John Smith, an engineer, heard the woman's agonizing shrieks and rescued her by swimming into the river. Her hands were tightly clasped about some water birches, and he had to wrench them loose. All the clothing had been torn from her body. She was half dead from exposure and nearly frozen, and the physicians consider her recovery uncertain.

Riel's Capture.

ST. PAUL, May 17.—A dispatch from Winnipeg, received yesterday at 4 a. m., says: Riel was captured to-day (Friday) at noon, three miles north of Batouche. He appeared unconcerned, but begged not to be shot. He was taken to General Middleton's headquarters.

The Evening *Dispatch's* dispatch from Guardepuy's Crossing, via Clarke's Crossing, May 15, says: William Diepl, Thomas Howrie and J. H. Armstrong, three daring scouts, captured Riel at noon. He was on the road three miles north of Batouche. He was in company with three young men, all of whom were armed. Diepl said to him: "I am surprised to see you here." Riel replied: "I was coming to give myself up." He said that his wife and family were across the river. While he was talking with his captors, Major Boulton's scouts were seen coming up, and Riel, becoming fearful that he would be shot, begged his captors to take him into camp themselves.

Accordingly, Diepl went off for his horse, but when a little distance away Boulton's scouts got close and Howrie and Armstrong took Riel on one of their horses and, taking unfrequented roads, rode to the camp. General Middleton gave orders that the men should keep in their tents when Riel came in, as he is afraid some personal enemy of Riel's will shoot him at sight.

Louis Riel is a picturesque character. Both of his parents were white, but his paternal grandfather married a full-blooded Indian woman, so that he is one quarter Indian blood. His father was educated for the Catholic priesthood, but gave up an ecclesiastical life to become a leader of a half breed insurrection against the Hudson Bay company. Riel's mother was a sister of Archbishop Tache, of Winnipeg.

Killed in a Collision.

WILKESBARRE, May 16.—In a collision this morning between an upbound local freight train, on the Philadelphia and Reading railroad, Lehigh and Susquehanna division, and an engine running down the mountain, at Solomon's Gap, five miles from here, one man was instantly killed, several probably fatally injured and the engines and cars were badly wrecked. The names of the dead and injured are: Philip Street, of Green Ridge, Lackawanna county, assistant superintendent of motive power for the Philadelphia and Reading company, instantly killed; Hirman Bossard, shoulder-blade broken and otherwise injured; Edward Cole, engineer, both legs broken; William Shank, of Ashley, fireman, shockingly crushed and burned.

The scene of the accident is about half way up the mountain, and on a steep grade. A curve hid each engine from the sight of the other's crew until the two were only 200 yards apart, and then it was too late. The crew stuck to their engines until the crash came. Mr. Street, who was on the down-bound locomotive, was thrown out upon his head; Shank, the fireman of the freight train, fell beneath the ruins of his engine, with the hot embers raining down upon him. Bossard, the engineer of the freight train, jumped at the instant of the accident, while Cole, the engineer of the down-bound locomotive, was thrown so that part of the wreck fell upon him. The wrecked engines and the six Reading freight cars are piled into a shapeless mass across the track, and many other cars were damaged. All the injured men are married and have families. It is feared that all the injured will die.

Five Children Perish.

OWATONNA, Minn., May 15.—At eleven o'clock last night the house of a Norwegian farmer named Henry Lewiston, living about six miles southeast of this city, was burned and five of his children perished in the flames. The family, consisting of himself, wife, seven children and a hired man, were all sleeping at the time in the second story. The only window in that part of the house overlooked a shanty addition used for a kitchen.

Lewiston and wife were awakened by the glare of the fire and rushed down stairs. Mrs. Lewiston carrying her youngest child in her arms, another child, aged ten years, and the hired man following. When Lewiston opened the only door of the house, which led into the shanty, smoke and flames burst in, nearly overpowering him and burning part of his hair and beard. The hired man then broke a window, through which they got out, but not before Mrs. Lewiston was severely burned. Lewiston made several frantic efforts to reach the children still asleep up stairs, but as there was no door or window through which this could be done except the window on the side of the house already in flames he was powerless to rescue them.

The persons thus burned alive were four boys, aged eighteen, fifteen, six and four years, and a girl, aged ten. A few bones and a small quantity of charred flesh wholly unrecognizable were all that could be found.

An Injunction Dissolved.

READING, May 18.—This afternoon Judge Sassamer read an opinion dissolving injunction proceedings in the case of the Reading Railroad Company against the Schuylkill Valley Company, involving the right of the latter to cross at grade, Reading Company's sidings, to the manufacturing establishments on the south front of this city.

A Team Lifted by a Whirlwind.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., May 18.—John Evarts and son, while driving along Belmont avenue yesterday, came in contact with a whirlwind, which lifted horse, buggy and occupants from the ground and landed them in an adjoining lot. The occupant were badly bruised, the buggy smashed and the horse injured.

Logan Elected.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 19.—John a Logan was elected United States senator on the first ballot this afternoon, receiving the full republican vote, 103 in all. The democrats did not vote.

SPRINGFIELD, May 19.—When the vote for senator was taken a dead silence prevailed. Davis refused to vote. The senators all voted for Logan, giving him 26 votes. Ruger's vote was received with cheers. When Mr. Sittig was called, in a speech explaining his position, he voted for Logan under protest, and the announcement was received with the wildest cheers. This gave the vote 103 for Logan. On the case of the absentees the democrats voted, and solidly, for Judge Lambert Tree. After the roll call Baker, McNory, McAliney, Caldwell, Quinn and Crafts changed their votes to Charles B. Farwell. Barry (Dem.) changed his vote to John A. Logan, and the wildest confusion prevailed.

This change of a democratic vote insures his election. The roll call was proceeded with after a time, the democrats attempting to elect Farwell, republican, hoping to get some republican votes. Barry withdrew his vote from Logan, but stated that he would not allow any other republican than Logan to be elected.

SPRINGFIELD, May 19.—Upon the announcement of the vote there were loud calls for Logan, who was conducted to the speaker's chair and briefly returned his thanks.

No republican support went to Farwell, and Speaker Haines finally announced the vote, declaring Logan elected.

Servitude for Life.

LONDON, May 18.—Judge Hawkins this morning began the summing up in the case of Cunningham and Burton on trial for treason-felony in connection with the recent dynamite explosions.

The judge explained the nature of the charge against the prisoners and the law in relatnio thereto. He then analyzed the evidence against Burton and called the attention of the jury to the fact that Burton's statement was not made under oath and therefore was entitled to very little credence.

"If there was any truth in the statement," said the Judge, "it was astonishing that no witnesses were called to support it." Mr. E. J. Phelps, the new U. S. minister to England, was in the court room dressed in mourning, and listened closely to the Judge's charge. He seemed very much impressed by the stern language of the Judge.

The jury returned a verdict finding both the prisoners guilty.

The prisoners were both sentenced to penal servitude for life.

Having their Eyes Opened.

LONDON, May 18.—The news of the Czar having presented swords of honor to General Komaroff and General Zakrjewski has created the uneasy feeling in Europe that the present peace is only an armistice, and that the arbitration proceedings is the merest mockery. The *Daily News*, in commenting on the Afghan papers presented in Parliament, says that: "They show that the seizure of Penjdeh had long been a foregone conclusion. It is difficult to believe that the Russians were ever in earnest about a joint commission. The disclosures justify us in making an Indian frontier impregnable." The *Times* says: "We ought to ignore all Russian promises and pledges and play our own game." The *Standard* says: "The keynote of the whole question is the contrast between Russia's barefaced duplicity, and the weakness of the English Government now rising in impotent protest, now sinking into meek submission."

A Tailor Store Robbed.

POTTSTOWN, May 15.—Early this morning the large tailoring establishment of William G. Kehl, on High street, this borough, was entered by burglars and goods to the amount of nearly a thousand dollars were carried away. The thieves gained entrance by prying open a shutter in the second story. The thieves were discovered by Private Watchman Purman, who went for assistance, but when he returned they had left the building, evidently having been warned by a confederate outside. The loss is recovered in the Detective and Protective Society, of Reading. There is no clue.

Removing the Union Veterans.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—By degrees Mr. Higgins is getting rid of the old veterans employed in the Treasury Department. To-day Messrs. Bragdon, Bott and Hopping, of the Treasury watch, were dismissed. They were all in the Union Army, and were appointed to the places they hold on account of their good records. Their discharge has increased the feeling of uneasiness among the watchmen and messengers of the department, which had been somewhat allayed by Higgins' published statement a couple of weeks ago that none of the veterans would be removed except for cause.

Going to Bring Back Maxwell.

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—Papers on which to base the demand for the extradition of Maxwell, the murderer of Preller, at the Southern Hotel, who is now under arrest in Auckland, New Zealand, will be signed by Governor Marmaduke to-night and will be forwarded at once to Washington. They will name Detective James Tracey, of the police force, and Frank R. O'Neill, of the *Post-Dispatch*, as the State's agents to bring the murderer back.

Prisoners Recaptured.

TOWANDA, Pa., May 15.—Three of the six prisoners who escaped from the Bradford County Jail here Monday have been recaptured. Edward Scrivens and Reuben Herman were found near here to-day and William Vincent was captured at Williamsport, where he is now in jail. They will be taken to Philadelphia immediately.

Brief Telegrams.

HALIFAX, May 18.—Work has begun on the Chicgnecto Marine railway to connect the Bay of Fundy with the Straight of Northumberland, a distance of twenty-five miles. It will resemble Eads' ship railway, and cost $5,000,000. The Dominion government has subsidized the scheme to the extent of $150,000 a year for fifteen years.

SANDWICH, Mass., May 18.—Forest fires in the Bourne woods have just been extinguished after burning over three miles of territory and destroying 2,000 acres of valuable standing timber.

HUNTINGDON, Pa., May 18.—A forest fire is raging on Warrior ridge west and north, and within a half mile of this place. Great damage to timber and farm houses has been done.

NEW YORK, May 18.—The dispatch boat Dolphin returned at 9 this evening. During the trip a journal became heated and the vessel was stopped. After floating around for five hours the boat was headed for New York.

NEW YORK, May 18.—General Grant rested well last night, and when he arose about 8 a. m. he expressed himself as feeling comparatively bright and strong.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Postmaster General Vilas to-day received a letter from Mr. Hay, First Assistant Postmaster General, in which he says his health is greatly improved and that he will be in Washington on Thursday or Friday of this week. Vilas has received no intimation from Hay that he was not sufficiently recovered to assume the duties of his office.

CHICAGO, May 18.—The rolling mills of the North Chicago Mill Company situated at South Chicago resumed operations to-day with a force of 1800 men. The mills shut down April 1, owing to a general strike of the workmen, whose demand for twenty five cents per day advance in wages was not satisfied. The company claimed it was losing money at the wages then paid. To-day the strikers went back at the old wages.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

Valuable Property Sold by Mr. E. C. Humes.

The newspapers recently have contained glowing descriptions of the value and resources of the tract of over 6,000 acres of coal and timber land in Jefferson county, which has been purchased by Mr. John Whitehead, the enterprising coal and iron prince of Huntingdon. It is not generally known, however, that Mr. E. C. Humes, President of the First National Bank of this place, was the owner of more than half of this wonderfully rich tract, and for it received a sum exceeding $200,000 from Mr. Whitehead. More than 3,000 acres of this tract have been in the possession of Mr. Humes for six years and he recently purchased 300 acres from F. W. Crider, the latter gentleman co-operating with Mr. Humes in making the sale to its present owner, who possesses the wealth and ability to develop its resources to their fullest extent.

To give our readers an idea of the estimated value of these 6,000 acres we quote from a description in the Williamsport *Gazette and Bulletin*:

"The property is all underlaid with an inexhaustible supply of first-class coal. There is one seven-foot vein and also a six-foot vein covering about five thousand acres of the property, now being worked by the Walston coal company and shipped via. the Rochester and Pittsburg railroad. This coal is said to make one of the finest cokes in the world.

"Another vein of excellent coal has recently been opened on this property, measuring five feet four inches inches in diameter, and covering about four thousand acres. The fourth and smallest vein is four feet three inches in diameter, and covers nearly four thousand acres. In addition to its wealth of coal this property is one of the richest timber tracts known at the present day. It is estimated that 65,000,000 feet of hemlock lumber can be realized out of it, and over 35,000,000 feet of white pine lumber. The latter is selling in the vicinity of eight dollars stampage. Besides 10,000,000 feet of first-class white oak, it is estimated that there are 7,000,000 feet of rock oak, which is selling for six dollars stumpage. The bark on this property is worth alone about $200,000. There are also from 3,000,000 to 5,000,000 feet of fine cherry and 3,000,000 feet of ash and beech. This is worth about six dollars stumpage.

"The value of this property will be readily seen when it is understood it contains, beside its rich growth of timber, over 100,000,000 tons of coal, as near as can be estimated. This, at only ten cents per ton royalty, which is very low, amounts to $10,000,000 and it is said $1,000,000 can be easily realized out of the bark and timber."

Fire at Millheim.

On Thursday night Millheim had a disastrous fire, the residence and store building belonging to the Alexander estate being entirely consumed. The residence was a valuable one. The store stock was owned by Mr. Kauffman. We have not learned the estimate of the loss. Dr. Alexander, one of the principal owners, was about to start west on Saturday, and the occurrence will delay his trip.

Borough Affairs.

The borough council met on Monday evening, Mr. Andrew Brockerhoff was made President pro tem. Mr. W. F. Reber appeared before council and petitioned for the abatement of a nuisance in the shape of a hog pen near his house.

A written communication from Burgess Powers asked for a more explicit definition of the respective powers and prerogatives of the council and the burgess.

Sealed proposals were received for the paving of High street between Gerberich, Hale & Co's race and the Spring Creek bridge with chestnut wood, also for building a stone sewer in Perry alley, between Cherry alley and Bishop street, and for sewers across Allegheny street.

For building the stone sewer along Perry alley the bid of John McDermott, for 74 cents per lineal foot, was accepted.

For paving High street the lowest bid, that of S. P. Dunkle & Co., was accepted, subject to an article of agreement and bond for fulfillment of contract.

On motion it was decided to extend the stone sewer from Cherry alley along Perry alley and thence along Bishop stree to East Allegheny street, and the motion of a previous meeting to build gutters across Allegheny street was rescinded.

The purchase of a lot on which to locate the Undine Hose House was postponed until a future meeting, and the Fire and Police committee instructed to try to procure more satisfactory terms on those offered.

The New Translation.

It is an announced that the Revised Old Testament is now completed and will be published in a day or two. This completes the revision of the Bible translation, the New Testament being published in 1880. It is further announced that the changes in the language used in the Revised Old Testament are even less in number than those in the New Testament.

While we are glad that this expert and almost perfect re-translation of the Bible has been made, we believe that we can state with a certainty that the revised version, (we consider it more accurate to write it revised translation) will never come into common and general use. It will always occupy the place of a companion book to the Bible and be referred to by those who desire to be strictly accurate. It will be the most valuable commentary on the Bible extant, but the dear, familiar language in which King James' translation is coucned has become sacred, and the Word is apt to lose force to many if changed; not because it is less forcible, but because of the quaintness of the language of the old translation, rich treasuries of which are stored in the mind of the Bible student.

In most instances the language of the new translation, bringing out the true meaning of the original text, is more beautiful than the old; though there are changes which we consider neither as beautiful, forcible nor accurate.

The only class of individuals to whom this new translation of the Bible brings disappointment is the class that has been opposed to it. The changes in language, in no instance, alter the meaning of the text held by the churches for centuries. The doctrines which these objectors always objected to most strenuously are brought out in stronger light. Thus the new translation will be an additional power propagating and spreading the Gospel.

Attempted Suicide.

Mr. S. Ettlinger, of Woodward, who was recently guilty of some crookedness in connection with the finances of the school board of that place, attempted suicide at Potters Mills, on Wednesday. He came to the hotel at Potters Mills on Tuesday night where he remained until next morning. On getting out of bed he took a revolver and shot himself through the head, the bullet entering the right side of his head and coming out behind the left ear. At this time he is unconscious and it is not believed that he will live.

—On Saturday a rather strange event occurred at Beezer's meat market on Allegheny street. A very large dog which is owned in Milesburg happened to be near the store when someone inside whistled to the animal. The door was open and the dog might have entered in that way, but without ceremony he leaped through the large window shattering the glass. The effect was about as startling to the dog as to those who were inside the meat market and the next time anyone wants that dog to come in he'll probably go outside and instruct the animal in the civilized custom of entering.

—The closing exercises of the High School will occur on Thursday afternoon, the 28th, in Humes' Hall. In the evening of that day the address will be delivered by Dr. George W. Artherton, President of State College. An address will also be made by Hon. D. F. Fortney and diplomas given to the graduates.

A Long-lost Brother Heard From.

A decidedly interesting and romantic event is just developing in the history of our learned fellow-citizen, Judge John H. Orvis. Thirty-two years ago, while he was living in Lock Haven, a younger brother went away from home. The name of this brother was Jesse Kilburn Orvis. When last heard from Jessie was on a steamboat sailing down the Mississippi. The boat was blown up and it was supposed that Jesse was one of the victims of the explosion. Through all these years the Judge has considered his brother dead.

Recently, however, the Judge received a letter from Nebraska informing him that the long-lost brother is still alive and is quite a prosperous citizen of that State. He has filled various local offices and also positions under the U. S. government. He has led an eventful life. The Judge has written to him and there will be many very interesting and exciting incidents in the lives of each to be told which will render their correspondence pleasant and entertaining and will soon, we suppose, bring about a meeting after so many years of separation.

—Twelve members of the Y. W. C. T. U. visited Eagleville on Monday accompanied by Mrs. McLaughlin, the eloquent temperance lecturer. While there they organized a Union which begins with a membership of eighteen young ladies and bears promise of great prosperity. The visitors from Bellefonte were greatly pleased with the cordial reception given them by the people of both Eagleville and Beech Creek. They were very delightfully entertained at both places and will always remember their experience there with pleasure. Mrs. McLaughlin lectured in the evening, remaining at Eagleville all night. Next morning she returned to her home in Boston.

—This is not a church going town. The average Sunday attendance at church is only about 1600. There are about 250 more who go about once a month and the number who see the inside of a church once a year will not exceed 2500, leaving about one third of the people of the town who seldom if ever go to church. This is a severe reflection on the intelligence and culture of the people, because all of Christian civilization has its source in the influence of the church, and as such its work should be encouraged. In some of the neighboring cities and towns church attendance is much more general, almost everybody attending at least once a day.

Accident at Philipsburg.

VAIL, PA., May 20, 1885.

George Swartz, a brakemen, had both legs cut off by falling under a train at Philipsburg this morning.

W. E. HAMER.

—The Band of Hope, at Milesburg, gave a free entertainment on Saturday evening which was in the nature of a minstrel performance. It was enjoyable.

—The atmosphere is thick with smoke.

Bellefonte Markets.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY C. T. ALEXANDER.

BELLEFONTE, May 20, 1885.

Red Wheat, per bushel	$ 90
Mixed Wheat	85
Buckwheat	50
Rye per bushel	60
Corn (shelled)	45
Oats	35
Cloverseed, fair to good	$4 25
do prime to extra prime	4 75
do choice	5 25
Flour, retail, per barrel	4 80
Flour, wholesale	4 60

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$12 00
Hay, mixed, per ton	8 00
Long rye straw, bundled, per ton	10 00
Short straw per ton	6 00@ 8 00

Provision Market.

Corrected by Valentines Store Co., "Limited."

Apples, dried, per pound	8
Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded	12
Beans per quart	8
Fresh butter per pound	20
Chickens per piece	25
Cheese per pound	14 to 18
Country hams per pound	13
Hams, sugar cured	14
Breakfast Bacon	13
Country Bacon	10
Lard per pound	10
Eggs per doz	12½
Potatoes (new), per bushel	40
Dried beef	20
Wilson's pressed beef per pound	20
Canned tomatoes per can	10—12½—15
Canned corn "	10—12½—40
Lemons per doz	20
Dried sweet corn per pound	07

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Newsy Notes from Martha and Vicinity.

MARTHA, May 19, 1885.

Al. Price, at Port Matilda, has his lumber about cut out.

Farmers around here are about done planting corn.

Mr. Stetler made no application for license at the Hasson House. Port Matilda has taken a firm stand against the liquor traffic.

The rink at Port is about played out.

We are glad to note John Jones is around again. We hope for him a return of health.

Chaney & Thompson are doing a good lumber business, employing about 40 men and shipping an average of nine car loads lumber per week.

John Price is moving to Grazierville.

We had the pleasure of viewing the country over from Mt. Brown, near Samuel Gingery farm. Mr. G. has a large and productive farm of 500 acres, 250 of which are cleared.

Rev. George Leidy has a new style "cant" hook that would be valuable to farmers. He took couple orders at Martha, your correspondent being the first purchaser.

John Thompson has 30 acres of the finest growing wheat opposite the depot at Martha that is in the valley.

Gray & Miller are doing a good business with Mott's water and fire proof paint, for which they are the owners, selling State rights. The roof the M. E. church at Port Matilda has been painted and it is durable and cheaper than shingles.

Bald Eagle returns thanks for kind treatment received at the hands of Martha people and also "Sin Tax."

The ladies will give an ice cream festival at Bald Eagle church Saturday evening, June 13. Proceeds for the purpose of purchasing a school library and toward painting church. Come one, come all—help a good cause.

John I. Potter has our thanks for favors shown.

Rev. C. A. Biddle delivered his fourth sermon to the people of Martha in the M. E. church on Sunday morning to a large audience, choosing for the occasion Ephesians 2d chap. and 6th verse. His sermon was listened to with marked attention, it being placid and practicable calling the attention of Christian people to their duty to God and the necessity of prayer in their homes, urging this upon his members. The reverend gentleman is loved by his people, and his congregations, which are large, speak of him in the highest terms. Rev. George Leidy, presiding elder, preached an impressive sermon at the evening service to a large congregation, taking for his theme, "Peace," which was delivered with much eloquence, leaving a lasting impression upon the minds of the people who heard him. His congregation then partook of the communion supper, many from a distance being present. At the close of the services Mr. Wagnor presented to Miss Nora Gingery, in behalf of the members of M. E. church, a handsome morocco Hymnal as an appreciation of her services in raising a large amount of money to repair the church.

The Port Matilda circuit is gaining ground in the Christian work, both financially and spiritually, and we hope for her a glorious year and abundant harvest.

Rev. George Leidy, being the guest of Brothers Wagner and Eberts, we had the pleasure of taking tea with him at the home of the latter, who is a whole-soul farmer. We also examined the new "cant" hook.

BALD EAGLE.

—It is with sincere regret that we learn of the death at Nittany Hall, on Friday night about 12 o'clock, of Mrs. Rachael Martin, widow of James Martin, deceased. She was a lady for whom all entertained the highest respect and she possessed many graces of character which will render her death a source of special grief to friends. The funeral services over her remains will occur at her late home at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning, and at 11 o'clock the same morning an appropriate sermon will be preached in the church by Rev. W. O. Wright, Presbyterian pastor.

—Mr. Elwood N. Waite, a son of Mrs. Rebecca Waite, of Chicago, died at Grand Rapids, Mich., on the 12th of May. Mr. Waite's age was about 34 years. He leaves a wife and two children. His disease was consumption and when he thought that a change of climate would benefit him he went to Colorado for that purpose. But the hoped for benefit did not some and he returned home to die. Mrs. Waite, who is a sister of Mrs. Sayre of this place and was once a resident of Bellefonte, will have the sympathy of many friends in this hour of trial at the loss of her son.

—We have heard from several sources that the curb market is to be opened next Saturday morning. Hope this is a fact.

Invitation.

On next Monday, 25th inst., Gregg Post 95 Dept. of Pa., will dedicate their new Post room in the Harris block. The order of exercises for the day is as follows, viz:

Dedication services, from 2 p. m. till 4:30 p. m.

"Bean bake" from 5 p. m. till 7.

"Camp Fire" from 7 o'clock till—later.

A most cordial invitation to be present at these exercises is extended to citizens of this place generally.

S. H. WILLIAMS, Chairman,
AMOS MULLEN, DAVID BARTLEY,
H. H. BENNER, R. C. IRVIN
JESSE STEWART,
J. I. CURTIN, En't Com. of 95 G. A. R.

SPECIAL MENTION.

Safe from Fire and Water.

We desire to call attention to the water and fire proof paint now being put on the residences and business houses of this place by Gray & Miller. They are now at work on the residence of Dr. T. R. Hayes, and also on that of Mr. Rush Larimer, and have also put their paint on many other buildings in this place, among them the county jail and Joseph Bros' store building and residence, and the latter, as our citizens know, recently passed safely through a severe fire test. With this paint on the roof any building is as safe as if the roof was of iron. Messrs. Gray & Miller have state and county rights for sale. Call on them at the Brockerhoff House or at the Garman House. m20-2td 1w.

—It has been suggested that we propose to the Reformed congregation the advisability of repairing the pavement in front of and at the side of their church and beautifying the grounds with fresh sod and neat walks. This we deem an eminently wise suggestion if the congregation has the necessary money to accomplish these improvements. The church building is such a neat and elegant piece of architecture that the surroundings should correspond with it, and perhaps those who especially desire these improvements will contribute toward defraying the expense.

Our Spring Stock of WOOLENS now complete. Bottom prices. Leave your order to-day.
16 36 MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors.

—The National Association rules will govern the races to take place at Old Oaks Park, Williamsport, on the 9th, 10th 11th and 12th of June. They promise to be the most interesting sporting event that ever occurred in this part of the State.

—See a woman in another column, near Speer's Vineyards picking grapes from which Speer's Port Grape Wine is made, that is so highly esteemed by the medical profession, for the use of invalids, weakly persons and the aged. Sold by druggists. 16 30 1y

—We are pleased to state that the new Campbell press purchased for the Renovo *Evening News* office is now working satisfactorily. For an entire month after being put in the office the "critter" had an attack of spring fever and refused to work.

New Advertisements.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE—In the Orphans' Court of Centre county. In the matter of the estate of James M, Thompson, deceased
The undersigned, an auditor appointed by said Court to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the accountant, will meet all parties interested at the office of D. S. Keller in Bellefonte, on Thursday, June 11, 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m., where all parties having claims against said estate must present them or be forever debarred from coming in upon the fund. HENRY KELLER,
17 20 3t Auditor.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed proposals will be received at the Commissioners' office in Bellefonte up to June 4th for making certain changes in the main audience room of the Court House, according to plans and specifications which may be seen at the Commissioners' office, also for painting and graining the woodwork in same. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
JOHN WOLF,
A. J. GRIEST,
J. C. HENDERSON, } Commissioners.
G. W. RUMBERGER, Clerk. 17 20 2t

Miscellaneous.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.—Sealed Proposals will be received at the Commissioners' office in Bellefonte, up to June 1st, for repairing the plastering and painting the outside of the Court House, belfry, clock dial, &c. Specifications can be seen at the Commissioners' office. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
JNO. WOLF,
A. J. GRIEST,
J. C. HENDERSON, } Commissioners.
17 19 3t

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, Pa., and to me directed, will be exposed at public sale, at the Court House, in the Borough of Bellefonte, on

FRIDAY, MAY 29, 1885,

at 1½ o'clock p. m., the following property to-wit:

All that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in Potter township, Centre county, Pa., beginning at a stone at Proprietors Manor, thence N. 34¾° West 208 7-100 perches to stone, thence South 76¾° West 11 perches to stone, thence 43° West 67 4-10 perches to stone, thence South 54¼° West 83 1-10 perches, thence by land of John Lingle S. 34¾° East 65 5-10 perches, thence by lands of same South 56¼° West 11 5-10 perches to stones, thence by land of James and Thomas Lingle, South 34¾° 209 6-10 perches to manor line, thence along said line North 56¼° East 115 5-10 perches to place of beginning, containing 186 acres and 9 perches strict measure, thereon erected a two story brick dwelling house, bank barn and other out buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of J. Henry Keller.

Terms—No deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money be paid in full.

W. MILES WALKER, Sheriff.
Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., May 13th, 1885.

Miscellaneous.

ORPHANS' COURT SALE.

Estate of D. H. CHANDLER, deceased

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Centre county, there will be exposed to PUBLIC SALE at the

Court House,
IN THE
BOROUGH OF BELLEFONTE,
—ON—
Friday, the 29th Day of May. A. D. 1885,
AT 1 O'CLOCK P. M.,

All those two certain tracts or pieces of land situate in Huston township, Centre county, Pa., bounded and described as follows: The one thereof beginning at stones, the common corner of lands of Bertha E. Moore, Sarah, Rachael and Clarissa Fleck; thence North fifty-one degrees West, sixty-seven perches, to a post; thence North fifty-nine degrees East, ninety-two perches, to a white oak stump; thence South fifty-six and one-half degrees East, sixty perches, to stones; thence South fifty three and three-fourth degrees West, ninety-six perches, to the place of beginning. Containing thirty-three acres and sixteen perches.

The other thereof, beginning at stones, the common corner of lands of Bertha E. Moore, Sarah Jane and Clarissa Fleck and Rachael Irwin; thence North 51 degrees West, 67 perches, to post; thence in a South-Westerly direction along a run to a public road; thence by said public road in a North-Westerly direction to land of John Turner; thence South 59 degrees West to middle of Evans' run; thence South, 47 degrees East, 88 perches; thence North, 53¾ degrees East, 65 perches to place of beginning; containing 31 acres and 39 perches.

TERMS OF SALE: One-half cash on confirmation of sale, and the balance in one year, with interest, to be secured by bond and mortgage on the premises.

JOHN ARDELL, Jr.,
17 18 3t Administrator.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE—Letters testamentary on the estate of Eliza McKinney, late of the borough of Bellefonte, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having demands against the same are requested to present them, without delay, duly authenticated, for settlement.

JNO. T. JOHNSTON, *Executor.*
Bellefonte, Pa., May 5, 1885. 17 18 6t

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By a careful and elaborate chemical analysis made by Prof. Percy, it was proved to be composed of the vital and nerve-giving principles of animal and vegetable life. The brains of animals and of fish contain an oily, nitrogenous hypo-phosphite, which, when separated from the fleshy part of the brain, is found to be a nerve-sustaining principle of animal life. It is entirely different in its effects from any compound made by chemists in the laboratory; the VITALIZED PHOS-PHITE contains in the highest degree this life-sustaining power; it requires no preparation or change in the stomach, but is in condition to be immediately assimilated into the blood, and ready for appropriation by the brain and nerves; it is essentially a special Brain and Nerve Food. Nature, not art, has prepared it for immediate assimilation.

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GARRETTSVILLE, Ohio, June 28, 1882.
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Miscellaneous.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE.—Estate of Joseph F. Williams, deceased.
Letters of Administration on the estate of Joseph F. Williams late of Huston township, Centre county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted to Josephine Williams and Newton Williams, residing in said township, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay.

JOSEPHINE WILLIAMS,
NEWTON WILLIAMS,
April 9th, 1885. Administrators.
17 15 6t

NOTICE OF APPEALS.—Appeals will be held for the several townships and boroughs, in the Commissioners' office, at Bellefonte, as follows:

MONDAY, JUNE 1st.—For the townships of Rush, Taylor, Worth, Huston, Union, and the boroughs of Philipsburg, Unionville and Millheim.

TUESDAY, JUNE 2d.—For the townships of Burnside, Snow Shoe, Boggs, Howard, Curtin, Liberty, Marion, Walker and the borough of Howard.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3d.—For the townships of Miles, Haines, Penn, Gregg, Potter and the borough of Millheim.

THURSDAY, JUNE 4th.—For the townships of Harris, College, Ferguson, Half Moon, Patton, Benner, Spring, and the borough of Bellefonte.

Between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.

The assessors are required to attend the appeal with the transcript.

Four mills for county purposes.

JOHN WOLF,
A. J. GRIEST,
J. C. HENDERSON, } Commissioners.
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G. W. RUMBERGER, Clerk. 17 18 4t

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Miscellaneous.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE—In the Orphans' Court of Centre county. Estate of Jacob Wetzler, deceased.
The undersigned, an auditor appointed by said Court to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the accountants to and among those legally entitled thereto, will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the borough of Bellefonte on Monday, the 1st day of June, A. D. 1885, at 10 o'clock a. m. Parties interested will please attend.
17 19 3t JOHN KLINE, *Auditor.*

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LATEST TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

The Battle at Springfield.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 14.—Upon the conclusion of the third ballot today Duncan announced the withdrawal of Morrison in the interest of the democratic party, for the present at least. On the fourth ballot the democratic vote was scattering, Carter Harrison receiving a majority in the sixth. Two more ballots were taken, resulting Tree 89, scattering 7. Recess taken.

The democrats held a caucus this afternoon and it was arranged to vote first for the following men: Tree, Black, Harrison, Altgeldt, Palmer, Allen, Townshend, Haines, Judd, J. L. Schofield M. W. Fuller. They are to be voted for in the order named until each receives a full democratic vote. Then three times afterward should no person be elected.

The new member, Weaver received his certificate of election from the governor this evening.

At the evening session the first ballot resulted: Tree 91, Morrison 5, Judd 2, Hoxie 1, Townsend 1; second ballot: Tree 101, within one of election. Senator Rugar voted for Logan. There was great excitement when he announced his vote. Representative Fuller announced that a man named Dumphy was in the house and had attempted to bribe Ruger to vote for Logan. This created a sensation, and it was nearly an hour before business was transacted. The third ballot resulted Tree 100, Morrison 1.

A recess was taken until 8.30 in order to prevent Weaver from being sworn in.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 15.—The first two hours of this morning's session witnessed one of the most tumultous scenes ever enacted in the legislative chamber. Speaker Haines took the chair precisely at 8:30, but it was some minutes later when the proceedings were opened. Ruger and Sittig were absent. As soon as the gavel had fallen, Senator Mason demanded that Weaver, the newly elected representative, be admitted to a seat in the joint assembly. This was received with a tornado of "noes" Chairman Haines, amidst roars of applause, ironically asked, "who is this Weaver?" and further suggested that it would be a good thing if the joint assembly would see that all its legitimate members were present before discussing the admission of outsiders. Senator Mason vociferously demanded the admission of Weaver, and Haines just as promptly declared the motion out of order. The decision was appealed from, the yeas and nays called and the decision sustained, the republicans declining to vote. All this time the uproar was indescribable. When the vote had been announced Haines declared that a ballot for senator was in order.

Again Mason, reinforced by Fuller, objected. It was, he said, past ten o'clock, the regular hour for the meeting of the senate and house, and therefore, as a matter of fact, the joint assembly was dissolved until noon Copious extracts from the proceedings of the United States senate were quoted in support of his position; but the occupants of the seats on the democratic side shouted louder than ever for the roll call. In the midst of the uproar Lieutenant Governor Smith mounted a seat, and in stentorian tones requested the republican senators to withdraw. As one man they rose to their feet and filed out, the republican representatives forming a double line of honor and cheering frantically as the senators passed between.

The democrats propose to prevent Weaver taking his seat by continuing the joint assembly indfinitely whether the republicans retire en masse or not. The republicans are inclined to admit that Ruger (republican) will vote with the democrats. He is to day occupying Speaker Haines' room, and intercourse with him is thus shut off The republican senators have just returned to the hall. Fuller put a motion to receive Weaver and declared it carried. The democrats refused to recognize him. He was afterwards sworn in, however.

The joint assembly then adjourned until Tuesday without voting for United States senator.

An Appropriation Exhausted.

WASHINGTON, May 15.—The appropriation for the payment of bounty to volunteers and their widows and legal heirs, and for the pay of two and three-year volunteers, has been exhausted. After June 30 there will be no funds available to pay the claims of volunteers for arrears in pay and bounties, nor any claims of officers and soldiers that accrued prior to June 30, 1883, except for three months extra pay for services in the Mexican war. It is estimated that 200,000 individuals will be compelled to wait for their allowances until congress makes appropriations.

Released by a Mob.

AUSTIN, Texas, May 15.—Forty-five convicts employed on a farm in Brazos county were released last evening by an armed mob after a desperate conflict with guards. It is reported several persons were fatally injured. The outrage is the result of a cry against the employment of convict labor outside the penitentiary. The governor has offered a reward for the conviction of the ring leaders.

Sickness Among Soldiers.

SUAKIM, May 13.—There is a fearful amount of sickness among the British and Egyptian troops here. The sick quarters in all the ships are crowded with patients and additional hospitals are being erected on the shore.

Gen. Grant.

NEW YORK, May 13.—Between 10 and 11 o'clock last night, a hypodermic injection, containing five drops of morphine, was administered to General Grant. This quantity of the opiate usually neutralizes the constant pain in the throat and the patient is able to sleep. This was not the result last night. The general during the day had talked too much with visitors, and the air during his noonday ride was chill. His throat had swollen a little, and the pain was so increased that the usual opiate did not produce the usual result. The general found no sleep until 3 o'clock this morning. At that hour he slept and continued to do so with breaks of wakefulness until between 8 and 9 o'clock this morning. At 9 o'clock, he aroused and was dressed. The increased swelling of the throat is to-day noticeable, and, in the words of Colonel Fred. Grant, "father is not so well this morning as yesterday morning"

NEW YORK, May 14.—Yesterday was acknowledged to be a bad day for General Grant. He suffered with his throat and could only speak with difficulty. The afternoon brought him no relief, even though it brought Dr. Douglass, and it was not until early this morning that he fell into a slumber, superinduced by an extra quantity of morphine This morning he awoke feeling a little easier, but not at all improved in his general condition. Dr. Douglass' statements means simply that the general is not progressing in the same ratio as heretofore. The weather has a very depressing effect on the general's spirits.

Dr. Douglass saw General Grant this afternoon. When the doctor left the house he said the disease is still there, of course, but the increased pain of the last two days has been not so much a result of the increase in the disease as it has been neuralgic complications, induced by the frightful weather of this week. The general is better to-day. He looks brighter and has this afternoon been working easily upon his book.

Riel Defeated.

WINNIPEG, May 13.—The following dispatch from Batouche, via Clark's Crossing of date of yesterday has just been received:

Batouche has fallen and the rebels have fled, being driven from their rifle pits and ambush at the point of the bayonet. The charge was gallantly made by the grenadiers. Riel sent a messenger to General Middleton early in the day, saying: "If you persist in firing upon the houses containing our women and children, we will massacre the prisoners in our hands." The general, in reply, told him to gather his women and children into one house and it would not be fired upon. Later, Riel sent an answer, thanking General Middleton for his humane promise to save the women and children. Afterward, as a general attack was just being made, he sent another messenger, saying that he did not like war, but unless the troops retired, his original intention of massacreing the prisoners would be adhered to. But this was of course too late, the charge had already commenced and in a few minutes the rebels were scattered and the prisoners rescued.

OTTAWA, May 13.—In the house today an official dispatch from Middleton was read confirming the reports published to-day of the complete route of Riel. Middleton places his loss at five killed and sixteen wounded. Among the prisoners is Jackson, white, who was Riel's secretary, but who is now mad and rather dangerous.

Somerset Shaken.

SOMERSET, Pa., May 14.—About 6:30 this evening this town was shaken from centre to circumference by an explosion of nitro-glycerine and dynamite at the Somerset chemical works located one mile east. The explosion occurred in the nitro-glycerine agitating house where one of the proprietors, W. T. Beach, of New York, was engaged at work. He was blown to atoms. The largest piece of bone, flesh or clothing that could be found was not larger than a silver dollar. The nitro-glycerine building, with eight others, was strewn to the winds, portions of them being found miles away. The works were situated in an opening in a dense wood is large trees of which were uprooted and blown down for rods around. From twelve to fifteen men are employed at the the works, but owing to its being Ascension day, none of them were at work. Where the building in which the explosion occurred stood there is a hole large enough to bury the building in. There were 800 pounds of nitro-glycerine and 3,000 pounds of dynamite in the different buildings. The loss is very heavy. An explosion occurred at the same place in January, when two men were killed.

Another Breakdown.

NEW YORK, May 13.—The dispatch boat Dolphin, built by John Roach, and whose shaft broke on her first trial, was run up the sound last evening for another test. After thirteen and a quarter hours steaming at full speed, a crank-pin became overheated, making it necessary to stop five hours for repairs. The board of inspectors appointed by Secretary Whitney, were on the vessel, as was also Mr. Roach. The latter gentleman claims that the accident was such as might happen to any steamship at any time, and was unavoidable. He said there would be another trial in a few days, and claims that this trip showed an improvement in the horse power of the boilers, which fell five or six per cent. short of the required figure on the previous trip.

Iceland's Fatal Avalanche.

LONDON, May 12.—The latest advices from Iceland show that the first reports of the avalanche were not exaggerated. Fifteen dwellings, with their inhabitants were swept into the sea and twenty-four persons were thus drowned. The avalanche destroyed fifty fishing boats. The loss in one village alone reached $20,000.

A Bridal Party in a Runaway Accident.

CINCINNATI, May 13.—At 7½ last night the horses to the leading carriage in a wedding procession on the way to church in Newport, Ky., took fright and run away. The carriage contained Mr. Joseph von Wahlde of Cincinnati, the prospective groom; Miss Mamie Reedy of Newport, his intended bride, Miss Reedy's sister and Mr. von Wahlde's friend, Henry Thamm The horses ran at breakneck speed over the rough streets, the coach struck an obstacle that nearly capsized it and flung the driver to the street, after which the horses sped on with uncurbed speed. The ladies screamed with fear and begged to be allowed to jump out. The door was opened and they did so. Miss Mamie Reedy was terribly if not dangerously injured by the fall, but her sister escaped with slight bruises. Mr. von Wahlde and his friend also jumped out and escaped uninjured. They went to the home of Miss Reedy, where she lay unconscious under the surgeon's care until nearly midnight, when she recovered and was propped up in the bed. Then, as the clock struck 12 the bridegroom sat on the bed and the priest finished the ceremony that made them man and wife.

Mr. Cox will Go.

WASHINGTON, May 14.—A delegation from the Fourth assembly district of New York, appointed to urge Mr. S. S. Cox to decline the Turkish mission, met that gentleman at Willard's hotel to-day. Flattering speeches were made in which Mr. Cox was urged not to go abroad Mr. Cox, in the course of a brief speech, declined to withdraw from the mission on the ground that the president had appointed him without his solicitation, and was determined that he should go to Turkey. Thereupon the delegation called upon the president and asked him to advise Mr. Cox to decline. The president said Mr. Cox was the man he wanted for the Turkish mission, and he could not spare him.

Accident in a Coal Mine.

ASHLAND, May 13.—The east mammoth gangway of the North Ashland colliery caved in this morning covering four men, named respectively James Innes, Charles Dougherty, Martin McKerns and Michael Head. The latter has been recovered, badly injured. The three men are this evening still entombed and but little hope is entertained of getting them out alive. Two mules which were driven by McKerns have been found, both dead. The cause of the cave-in is attributed to the running of a pillar followed by a large body of water.

Ship Owners in Convention.

BOSTON, May 12.—A convention under the auspices of the New England Ship Owners' Association was held at the rooms of the Board of Trade to-day. Captain Charles Lawrence, of Philadelphia, was chosen president of the Convention, the primary object of which is to fix a minimum rate for freight. Representatives were present from New York, Philadelphia and the New England ports. A committee was appointed to take into consideration the various interests of the Convention and to nominate officers.

Set on Fire by a Burglar.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., May 14.—Most of the business portion of the town of Darlington, twelve miles from here, was destroyed by fire this morning. The fire was started by a burglar after he had robbed Hopper's jewelry and drug store. The principal losses were on Dr. Hopper's drug and jewelry store and dwelling, Hulet's block, the City Hall and Butler & Bond's hardware store. The town has no fire apparatus. Loss, $25,000.

The Northwest War.

WINNIPEG, May 15.—A half-breed courier at Clark's Crossing reports the half-breeds arriving in General Middleton's camp and surrendering in large numbers. The bodies of forty rebels have been found on the field. A Battleford dispatch says seven mounted police were surprised by Indians to-day. Constable Elliott was killed and Constable Spencer wounded, but succeeded in escaping. A courier reports seeing about thirty teams abandoned and plundered.

A War of Races Feared.

NEW ORLEANS, May 14.—Governor O'Neal, of Alabama, has received advices from home indicating his presence is needed there on account of an apprehended war of races in Bibb and Chilton counties. The trouble grew out of the recent assault on a white woman by a negro, and the lynching of the negro's father in consequence thereof. The sheriff fearing an uprising has called on the governor for troops.

The Seventeen-year Locust.

HAMBURG, May 12.—This is the year for the appearance of the seventeen-year locusts and they will issue from the earth within the next fortnight. Farmers engaged in ploughing have already unearthed myriads of the embryo insects, which promise to be unusually numerous. Fruit trees and nursery stock have in consequence been less salable than in former seasons.

More than 700 Confirmations.

ASHLAND, May 13.—Archbishop Ryan arrived here this morning and was received at the station by a large public demonstration. The town is beautifully decorated in honor of the distinguished visitor. In the Irish Catholic and German Catholic churches impressive religious ceremonies were held, and the rite of confirmation was administered to 750 persons

Our Lowell is Luck.

LONDON, May 15.—Minister Lowell dined with the queen this evening, and was treated with distinguished courtesy.

Horsewhipping a Man.

COLUMBUS, May 13.—Ralph Stewart, jealous of his wife, followed her to the Park Rink last evening. Finding her skating with Charles H. Bell, Assistant City Librarian, he waited for Bell at the entrance, and when Bell came out horsewhipped him. Bell offered no resistance, but bystanders interfered. Stewart is a son of Cashier Stewart of the Fourth National Bank of this city. Mrs. Stewart is a New York woman, and is very handsome.

Crop News.

CHICAGO, May 12.—The *Farmer's Review* says: "Winter wheat prospects are the poorest ever seen. The spring wheat is not all seeded. Oats are not all in and the corn is yet to be planted. The only favorable fact that we can mention to day is that there is no present prospect of a drouth. The most serious fact is the failure of the winter wheat crop. Its magnitute is not yet fully realized."

$9,000 for a Single Book.

LONDON, May 12. Quaritch has bought Lefevre's "Recuyell of Historyes of Troye," the first book printed in English, for £1,820. The same copy was sold in 1756 for eight guineas.

$700,000 for Charity.

PITTSBURG, May 14.—The will of Jane Holmes distributes fully $700,000 among local Protestant charitable and benevolent institutions.

By the Dozen.

A lady from the country went up to London to have her child christened in company with the children of some of her acquaintances there. After the ceremony she conceived the idea of having all their photographs taken. She knew a place where the pictures could be had cheaply, and would defray all the expenses. Her offer was too good to be lost, and a party with a dozen children started off to the photographer. The latter was delighted, and at once set to work. After some four or five had been photographed it occurred to him, on the chaperon of the party intimating that she was going to pay for all, to ask her if she knew what the bill would amount to. "Of course I do," said she; "five shillings. You advertise them at five shillings a dozen." The unfortunate photographer turned pale. "Yes," he faltered, "five shillings the dozen pictures—not five shillings the dozen children!" The tableau may be better imagined than described.

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No Great Mystery in the Art.

A Western editor has recently discharged all his compositors because he thinks the wages demanded an imposition, and therefore intends doing his own type-setting. In the next issue of his paper he says: "oWinG To the eXorbitant Wages dEmaNded by the printers wE hAve conCluded To do oUr oWn tYype-sEtting in the fuTure.; and sLthough weLEver leAined tqe Business! wE dO Not see Vny gReat masterY in tHE aRi?"

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A New Venus.

Old Mrs. Bently (reading)—My dear, here's somethin' 'bout the Venus de Med—Medi——

Old Mr. Bently (looking over her shoulder)—Venus de what, Medici? It must be a misprint for medicine. Yes, that's what it oughter to be, Venus de Medicine.

Old Mrs. Bently—Who was she?

Old Mr. Bently—Lydia Pinkham, I s'pose.

For colds, croup, asthma, Bronchitis and sore throat use Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, and get the genuine.

If General Gordon could have guessed
The fate in store for him—poor man!
I mean his epitaph by Tennyson,
Presumed to be his lordship's benison—
He wouldn't have gone to the Soudan!

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A Storm at Sea.

"You had a very pleasant voyage, I presume?" said Yeast to Crimsonbeak, just after the latter's return from Europe.

"Stormy, very stormy," was the reply.

"Why, I read in the papers that the vessel had had a very pleasant passage."

"Oh, it may not have been very stormy for the vessel, but I had my wife along, you know!"—*Yonkers Stateman.*

Itching Piles—Symptoms and Cure.

The symptoms are moisture, like perspiration, intense itching, increased by scratching; very distressing, particularly at night; seems as if pinworms were crawling in and about the rectum; the private parts are sometimes affected. If allowed to continue very serious results may follow. "SWAYNE'S OINTMENT' is a pleasant, sure cure. Also, for tetter, Itch, salt rheum, scald-head, erysipelas, barbers' itch, blotches, all scaly, crusty skin diseases. Box, by mail, 50 cts.; 3 for $1.25. Address, DR. SWAYNE & SON, Phila., Pa. Sold by druggists. may6 1y

It is no doubt true that both men and women of distinguished intellectual talents and who are active brain workers are liable to be childless or to have but few children. The world would soon be depopulated if it were filled with persons of great intellectual stature.

Samson's Legs and Locks.

When Delilah clipped off Samson's locks that mighty athlete at once became "as other men." If it could be proved that the possession of luxuriant hair would enable men to tear open lions' jaws, Hiscox & Co. would be driven wild in their effort to supply enough of Parker's Hair Balsam to meet the demand As it is the balsam prevents your hair from falling out, and restores the original color if faded or gray. Besides it is a great addition to the toilet table simply as a dressing.

A peculiarity of most of the Paris papers is that they rent out the financial column by the year to anybody who wants it. A well-known banking house pays the *Figaro* 160,000 francs a year for the use of its financial column, and puts in it whatever it pleases. It has a ten years' contract.

New Jersey Wine Sent to Europe.

Mr. Speer, of New Jersey, has a reputation extending over the whole Union and in Europe as being a reliable producer of pure wines. His Port Grape Wine is ordered by families in Dresden, London and Paris for its superior medicinal virtues, and its blood making quality, owing to the iron contained in the soil in which the vines grow. For sale by druggists.

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The molders of four foundries at Troy, N. Y, are on a strike against reduction of wages. Five hundred weavers at North Adams, Mass., struck for like cause.

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Railroads.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY RAILROAD.—Time Table April 6, 1885.

WESTWARD	Exp A.M	Mail P.M
Leave Lock Haven	4 45	4 05
Flemington	4 48	4 09
Mill Hall	4 52	4 12
Beech Creek	5 01	4 28
Eagleville	5 04	4 33
Howard	5 13	4 45
Mount Eagle	5 18	4 53
Curtin	5 22	4 58
Milesburg	5 30	5 07
Bellefonte	5 40	5 20
Milesburg	5 50	5 35
Snow Shoe Int	5 58	5 38
Unionville	6 02	5 49
Julian	6 12	6 01
Martha	6 22	6 12
Port Matilda	6 29	6 21
Hannah	6 37	6 36
Fowler	6 39	6 72
Dix	6 42	6 16
Bald Eagle	6 49	6 44
Vail	6 53	6 49
Arrive at Tyrone	7 05	7 00

EASTWARD	P.M.	A.M
Leave Tyrone	7 30	8 10
East Tyrone	7 37	8 17
Vail	7 40	8 20
Bald Eagle	7 45	8 25
Dix	7 50	8 30
Fowler	7 54	8 72
Hannah	7 57	8 34
Port Matilda	8 05	8 43
Martha	8 13	8 51
Julian	8 23	8 59
Unionville	8 33	9 10
Snow Shoe Int	8 42	9 18
Milesburg	8 45	9 22
Bellefonte	8 55	9 32
Milesburg	9 05	9 47
Curtin	9 15	9 58
Mount Eagle	9 19	10 02
Howard	9 26	10 09
Eagleville	9 36	10 19
Beech Creek	9 40	10 24
Mill Ha	9 52	10 36
Flemington	9 55	10 40
Arrive at Lock Haven	10 00	10 45

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R. R.—Time Table in effect on and after April 6, 1885.

Leaves Bellefonte 9.15 a m., arrives at Snow Shoe 10.50 a m

Leaves Snow Shoe 4.40 p m., arrives at Bellefonte 5.51 p m

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LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD Time Table, April 6 1885.

WESTWARD.	Mixed. P.M.	Mixed A.M.
Leave Scotia	12 15	5 00
Fairbrook	12 40	5 20
Penn'a Furnace	1 00	5 40
Hostler	1 15	5 50
Marengo	1 25	5 55
Loveville f	1 30	6 00
Furnace Road	1 35	6 10
Warriors Mark	1 55	6 25
Pennington	2 12	6 40
Weston Mill f	2 25	6 50
L. and T. Junc	2 31	6 55
Tyrone	2 35	6 58

EASTWARD.	Mixed. P.M.	Mixed A.M.
Leave Tyrone	4 30	9 20
L. & T. Junc	4 34	9 25
Weston Mill	4 40	9 33
Pennington	4 55	9 48
Warriors Mark	5 05	9 58
Furnace Road	5 20	10 12
Loveville	5 26	10 15
Marengo	5 30	10 22
Hostler	5 40	10 35
Penn'a Furnace	5 50	10 44
Fairbrook	6 05	11 03
Scotia	6 25	11 30

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—(Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after Monday, April 6, 1885:

WESTWARD.		
ERIE MAIL leaves	Philadelphia	11 20 p m
"	Harrisburg	3 30 a m
"	Williamsport	7 25 a m
"	Jersey Shore	7 57 a m
"	Lock Haven	8 25 a m
"	Renovo	9 35 a m
"	arr at Erie	6 00 p m
NIAGARA EXP. leaves	Philadelphia	7 40 a m
"	Harrisburg	11 25 a m
"	arr. at Williamsport	2 35 p m
"	Lock Haven	3 35 p m
"	Renovo	5 05 p m
"	Kane	9 25 p m
Passengers by this train arrive in Bellefonte at		5 20 p m
FAST LINE leaves	Philadelphia	11 50 a m
"	Harrisburg	3 55 p m
"	Williamsport	7 20 p m
"	arr at Lock Haven	8 10 p m
"	Renovo	9 15 p m
SUNDAY MAIL leaves	Phil'a	4 30 a m
"	Harrisburg	7 40 a m
"	W'm'sport	10 40 a m
"	Lock Haven	11 35 a m
"	arr. at Renovo	12 30 p m

EASTWARD.		
Sea Shore EXPRESS leaves	L. Haven	7 00 a m
"	Jer'y Shore	7 29 a m
"	W'msp't	8 10 a m
"	arr. at Harrisb'g	11 30 a m
"	Phila'phia	3 15 p m
DAY EXP. leaves	Kane	5 45 a m
"	Renovo	9 50 a m
"	Lock Haven	10 55 a m
"	Williamsport	12 15 p m
"	arr at Harrisburg	3 25 p m
"	Philadelphia	6 50 a m
ERIE MAIL leaves	Erie	2 20 p m
"	Renovo	10 40 p m
"	Lock Haven	11 45 p m
"	Williamsport	1 00 a m
"	arr at Harrisburg	4 20 a m
"	Philadelphia	8 25 a m
WMPT ACN leaves	Williamsport	3 40 p m
"	arrives at Harrisb'g	10 25 p m
"	Philadelphia	4 25 a m

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ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

—Now blooms the golden buttercup,
The breeze no longer chills,
The season's here when wives run up
Big millinery bills.

—Thursday was Ascension day.

—Vegetation is advancing satisfactorily.

—Aaronsburg boasts of a new town clock.

—The new moon brought fine weather.

—The first thunder of the season Thursday morning.

—There seems to be a sharp competition in the floral market.

—The streets are so dark at night as to be somewhat dangerous.

—Trout anglers are making up for time lost during the cold weather.

—Millheim has a circulating library which begins with thirty-five volumes.

—John Harshberger, who lives near Millheim, lost a fine colt by death a few days ago.

—Seven persons were confirmed by Bishop Rulison in the Episcopal church Thursday evening.

—The funeral of Louis Schad, whose death was announced on Wednesday, will occurred on Friday morning.

—The trains on the Bald Eagle Valley R. R. are making regular time now, and it is seldom that one is behind schedule time.

—Garden-making is now being pushed forward rapidly. People who were so anxious as to make them during April are now doing the job over.

—The Rt. Rev. N. S. Rulison, D. D., Assistant Bishop of Central Pennsylvania Diocese, officiated at the services in the Episcopal church last Thursday evening.

—A special session of the Presbytery of Huntingdon was held on Thursday in Tyrone. Rev. J. J. Francis was dismissed from the pastorate of the church at Birmingham. He goes to Cincinnati.

—Frank Gordon, who was tried for murder in Williamsport, was convicted of murder in the second degree and has just been sentenced by Judge Cummin to five years confinement in the Eastern Penitentiary.

—It isn't often that we find occasion to chronicle anything of this character concerning a minister of the Gospel, but on Thursday we noticed Rev. Mr. Foster actually painting the fence around the parsonage *red*.

—The new postal card paper, under the contract of 1885, will be a delicate pink in lieu of the cream color of the cards now issued. The texture of the paper is also said to be improved. The size will be the same as now in use.

—The aesthetic female employes of W. I. Fleming's tailoring establishment now look into the street through a collection of flowers placed in the window this morning. Mr. DeWitt should have some flowers in his window also.

—The lover of onions is now sorely tempted to indulge in that tender, tempting production of the garden, but when he remembers that his breath well tell the tale of what he has done he hesitates and turns away with a sigh.

—Mr. S. Ettlinger, of Woodward, disappeared a short time ago, taking with him quite a sum of money belonging part to the school board and part to private parties. He delays his return so long that the citizens are becoming anxious.

—Illness continues to afflict the family of Mr. John T. Johnston. Mrs. Johnston has been ill ever since the death of her mother several weeks ago and on Friday her son Harry was taken quite violently ill. We hope this pleasant weather will benefit them.

—No work is in progress on the Catholic church thus far this season. Rev. Father McArdle does not believe in carrying on work unless cash is paid for it and when the church is completed it will be entirely paid for. This is the way all business, especially such as relates to the Christian church, should be conducted. We hope the day is not far distant when this beautiful temple of worship will be completed and the church will enter upon an era of even greater prosperity than at present.

—Mrs. Sarah Levi, of Milesburg, died on the 8th of May, at the home Mr. Fisher, above Snow Shoe Intersection. She was in the 90th year of her age and was one of 21 children, 19 of whom lived to raise families of their own. Her father was the Rev. Samuel Lane, a Baptist minister. She united with the Presbyterian church in Milesburg and lived in close union with that spiritual fold until her death. The funeral services in the Presbyterian church in Milesburg on Sunday, May 10, were largely attended.

The M. E. Church at Martha.

Extensive repairs, within and without, have recently been made to the M. E. church at Martha. A neat vestibule and graceful steeple add to the exterior appearance. The interior has been papered in the most modern style and the floor covered with a beautiful and serviceable carpet. This was done at a cost of only $500 and competent judges now consider it one of the most attractive churches in the limits of Centre county.

On the 10th of May the church was reopened to the public, Rev. E. J. Gray, D. D., President of Dickinson Seminary, preaching the sermon, which was an able discourse. After concluding the sermon he stated that there was a debt of $125 to be provided for. Within an hour this sum was subscribed in full, almost all paid in and the balance payable when called for. So you can form an idea of the influence Christianity exerts over the *pockets* of the people of upper Bald Eagle Valley.

At the earnest request of the people the Rev. G. B. Ague, an ex-pastor (now residing in Milesburg), preached a very eloquent sermon in the evening. Although in very ill health, he preached grandly. No one who ever ministered to this church has more friends than he, which speaks highly for the reverend gentleman.

The lady members of the charge also deserve great praise for the efforts they put forth to furnish the church. They made a very beautiful quilt which netted $45, and which was awarded to Rev. G. W. Baker, the late pastor of the charge, he having received fourteen more votes than any other contestant.

The writer had the extreme pleasure of taking dinner in company with the above-mentioned clergymen and also Rev. Biddle, preacher in charge, at the hospitable home of John D. Wagner, one of the officials of the church. In conclusion will add that it was a Sunday which will long be remembered in the history of Martha Furnace. SPECTATOR.

FIRE AND DISEASE.

Conflagration at Martha — Two Cases of Diphtheria.

MAY 12, 1885.

Soon after 6 o'clock on the evening of Monday, the 11th, the dwelling house on the farm known as the Mark J. Williams property and occupied by Robert E. Robinson and family, took fire from a spark lighting on the roof, and was soon enveloped in flames. Mr. Robinson was at work a mile distant from the house and Mrs. Robinson was preparing supper at the time the fire started.

The neighbors came in time to save some of the furniture though it was considerably damaged in getting it out. Mr. Robinson arrived just as the roof was falling in. We have not learned the amount of loss. It was insured with Joseph A. Rankin & Son, of Bellefonte.

The much-dreaded disease, diphtheria, is still lingering in the neighborhood of Martha, the second case being a six-year-old daughter of John McKelvy, who is now getting better.

We are having very cool, frosty weather. Corn-planting will be late. The prospects for a crop of wheat are good in this part of the valley. We will defy any other part of the State to show better looking wheat than a few fields in the vicinity of

MARTHA.

The Second Brigade Encampment

When Gen. Beaver alighted from the train at Pittsburg on Tuesday night he encountered a newspaper reporter. The scribe asked the General if it had been decided to locate the encampment at Conneaut Lake, to which Gen. Beaver replied:

"The object of the present trip is to see if that point will be a desirable one under the circumstances. The regimental commanders generally are in favor of going to Conneaut, and I believe the majority of the men prefer it to any other location that has yet been considered. The question of economy has also to be taken into consideration. A number of the regimental officers will accompany us on the trip to-morrow. If everything is found favorable, and the troops can be conveniently concentrated at Conneaut it will likely be selected for the next encampment."

—Mr. W. I. Fleming has rehung the pretty sign in front of his tailoring establishment—this time extending it across the pavement. To do this involved the erection of a new post at the edge of the walk which he considered it advisable to put there instead of holding the sign up himself. Now when he gets a painter to move his brush up and down along that post a few times it will look fine and people will be thoroughly *posted* in regard to the location of his place of business.

—The awnings which the business places on the north side of High street have flung to the breeze are neat, graceful and serviceable.

Mrs. McLaughlin's Lecture.

One of the most remarkable indicators of the drift of public sentiment is shown in the very large audiences which are attracted by every temperance mass meeting held in this town. Religion, politics, railroads, amusements, nothing so stirs and influences the people as temperance. Very slight notice was given of the meeting held in the Court House Thursday night, the lady who addressed the audience was unknown here, yet the house was filled to overflowing. Rev. J. A. Woodcock opened the meeting with devotional exercises, Rev. W. R. Whitney, of Half Moon, leading in prayer. The former minister introduced the speaker.

Mrs. McLaughlin is a lady of fine appearance, pleasing manners and exquisite voice—not loud, but low, sweet and cultivated; persuasive in its every accent; a voice that could not overcome by its volume other sounds, but which at once hushes all else to perfect stillness and commands undivided attention. The argument of her lecture was new and convincing.

The Judge's bench in the Court House had on it a fine collection of potted plants supplied by Rev. Zeigler. The choir was excellent. Col. D. S. Keller made a five-minute speech before the audience was dismissed.

Will Camp at Conneaut.

General Beaver and party, says the Altoona *Tribune*, who visited Conneaut Lake on Wednesday, returned to Pittsburg the same night and the General passed through Altoona Thursday morning. The party was composed of Colonels Wylie, Hastings, Krebs, Glenn and Smith. Sheriff Gray, who was formerly colonel of the Fourteenth regiment, was also among the party. They went up to Conneaut in a special train provided by C. O. Scull. A boat was in waiting for them at the lake. They sailed around in it and took dinner at the hotel with a number of Meadville officials. After dinner they drove to the place of encampment. They decided to hold the next annual encampment there. The Fourteenth regiment will occupy the place held two years ago by the Fifth, and the Eighteenth will camp on its old quarters. The Sixteenth will take the Fourteenth position, and the Tenth the Sixteenth's. The Fifth will be to the left of the Tenth. The cavalry and battery B will occupy the woods to the west of headquarters.

—The College of Central Illinois is located at Dakota, in that State. Our friend, Rev. Frank Wetzel, at one time a resident of this county, is president of the institution, and his brother, Prof. J. H. Wetzel, is traveling through Iowa in its interest. The College course is four years and as it is now in only the third year of its existence, it will have no graduating class this year, but its President, through the *College Herald*, the official organ of the institution, promises that commencement exercises of an interesting character will occur on June 17. There have been 42 students in attendance during the year: 2 Juniors, 10 Sophomores, 11 Freshmen and 19 Preparatorians. The College is in the interest of the Reformed church and we hope it will be useful, especially so because it is managed by young men from Centre county whose prosperity and success will reflect honor on the home of their youth.

—Ex-Senator C. T. Alexander, late President of the Board of Managers of the Bellefonte Glass Company, received a present on Wednesday last of a copy of resolutions passed by the company and also a beautiful gold headed cane. The ceremony of presentation was made in the Bush House the only persons who were present at the time being John Ardell, Hammon Sechler, John Anderson, L. W. Munson, W. R. Teller, Senator Alexander, and, we suppose, Joe W. Furey. Mr. Kyle McFarlane was unavoidably absent. Mr. Munson made the presentation speech and the ex-Senator responded appropriately. The cane has on it the inscription: "Presented to Hon. C. T. Alexander by the Bellefonte Glass Company." It is pleasant to note that the Senator who has been in feeble health is recovering rapidly.

Educational Affairs.

At the regular meeting of the borough school board on Tuesday evening, the 12th, the resignation of Mr. Seibert, member from the West ward, was received and accepted. That gentleman has moved to Altoona, which necessitated his resignation. Mr. Isaac Thomas, of the same ward, was elected to fill out the unexpired term.

The subject of procuring an orator to deliver the address on the occasion of the closing exercises of the High school was discussed and it is probable that Dr. Atherton, President of State College, will be secured. The Doctor will fill the bill admirably.

A New Way to Fight Fire.

The free exhibition of the Harden Star Hand Grenade Fire Extinguisher, which was given in the Diamond on Wednesday evening, was a success. A board structure was built in the square and coal tar spread quite thickly upon it. Some citizens who did not understand the purpose of this structure imagined it was a backstop for a base-ball game. When, at 7:30 o'clock, a match was applied to it and a bright blaze and dense volume of black smoke ascended they became interested. A small glass globe was thrown violently against the boards. It was shattered into fragments and the fire burned lower. Three others followed in quick succession, all but one breaking, and the fire seemed to be smothered as effectively as though a huge wet blanket had been thrown upon it. Then the grenade that did not break was picked up and thrown with greater force. It, too, was shattered and the fire was out, not even smoke giving evidence of slumbering embers. The board structure was thoroughly blackened. The grenade consists of a glass globe, hermetically sealed, filled with a chemical fluid which does not deteriorate with age, is not effected by any climate and will resist a temperature of 20 degrees below zero. This fluid is what extinguishes the fire.

A New Way to Stop Trains.

On June 1st the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will introduce a new air system of signals in their passenger trains, to take the place of bell rope now in use. When the air-brake was first used it was discovered that the pipes were too small, and larger ones were put in. These old pipes will now be used to signal from the conductor to the engineer when the former wishes to stop the train. The pipes will communicate with a small whistle in the engineer's cab, and the signal will be given by the conductor pulling a rope, which will hang on one side of the car. The main advantage in this arrangement will be that it will be more difficult for the passengers to stop the train. Trains are quite often stopped by some excited or intoxicated passengers, and accidents are likely to occur when such a thing happens.

—A lady from this place who on Monday looked through the two nurseries conducted by Rev. J. Zeigler at Snow Shoe Intersection was surprised and delighted at what she saw. The reverend gentleman is an expert and careful gardener both of plants and flowers, and has many of the most beautiful and thrifty specimens of the floral kingdom that can be cultivated in this climate. He has recently opened another garden which promises to do as well as the first. Persons who love flowers should not miss seeing Rev. Zeigler's gardens when they are in that vicinity.

Death of Mrs. M. Reynolds.

Last Thursday a sad event occurred at the home of Mr. Hickman Ingram, on East Bishop street. It was the death of his daughter, Mrs. Morgan Reynolds, an esteemed lady, aged 22 years. Her illness was quite protracted, but the fond hopes of friends that she would recover were of no avail and at an age when life is full of promise she entered the valley of the shadow of death and passed into the life beyond. Her husband survives to mourn her early death. The funeral took place on Saturday at 2 o'clock p. m. from the residence of her parents.

—The Lewistown *Free Press* has our profound thanks for the following: For the past few days the Bellefonte *Daily News* has been finding its way to this office and it's a welcome visitor. While small in size it gives all the happenings of that community as well as a brief synopsis of the doings of the country, in attractive style, and deserves encouragement especially at the hands of the citizens of Centre county. As Rip Van Winkle would say, "May you live long and prosper."

—"The Millheim Hook and Ladder Co., No. 1," has been organized in Millheim. The officers for the ensuing year are as follows: President, Dr. D. H. Mingle; vice president, C. W. Harter; secretary, R. A. Bumiller; treasurer, A. A. Frank; foreman, J. H. Maize; 1st assistant foreman, W. L. Bright; 2d assistant foreman, Samuel Weiser, Jr.; ladderman, E. J. Brumgard; assistant ladderman, Loyd Auman. We believe that Millheim is slightly in advance of Bellefonte in this movement toward the preservation of life and property.

—It is stated that one of the best disinfectants is corrosive sublimate. One teaspoonful of this and one teaspoonful of common salt dissolved in one gallon of water and freely used in water closets and elsewhere, is a cheap and convenient remedy to ward off cholera and other diseases.

—Don't complain of the heat.

Pomona Grange, No. 13,

Will meet in the hall of Progress Grange, Centre Hall, at 1 o'clock p. m., on Tuesday, May 26th. It is expected that members will be prompt, so that there may be no delay in opening. If necessary, will be an evening session. The committee on rules and regulations of fire insurance will report and quarterly statement of the secretary of the insurance company be submitted. These items of business interest all Patrons, and it is urged upon representatives and others entitled to seats to be in attendance. Let the representation be full and general from all subordinate Granges in the county.

JAS. F. WEAVER, Master
JAS. C. GILLILAND, Secretary.

—If the following item is true the Pennsylvania railroad company cannot be feeling the depression in business so much complained of: "The heaviest movement of cars by employes of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company was last month, when the total number of cars handled attained the enormous figures of 93,142, divided as follows: Number of trains east, 1,000; loaded cars east, 45,159; empty cars east, 1,958; total number of cars east, 47,117. Number of trains west, 633; loaded cars west, 11,011; empty cars west, 35,014; total, 46,025—making the grand total of 93,145, an increase over April, 1884, of 17,097 cars, and an increase over March, 1885, of 4,727.

—The average public speaker says in an hour what, if printed, would fill 15 octavo pages. If the ordinary conversation of one day of a person in private life be estimated equivalent to four hours consecutive speaking, a man says in one week what, if printed, would be an octavo volume of 320 pages. In one year he speaks 52 such volumes, and in 30 years he would have an extensive library of 1,500 volumes.—*Huntingdon News.* If the ordinary individual should undertake to read those volumes he would become so disgusted that an immense bonfire would be made of them and the world would be better when they are gone.

—Two days were consumed by the railroad workers on this end of the Bellefonte, Nittany and Lemont Railroad in elevating the tracks to a proper grade for the bridge and the first rails were laid Friday. It is reported that at the other end of the road the work is progressing more rapidly. It will be necessary to complete almost a third of a mile a day to finish the road by the fourth of July and we hope to see them rushing along at "railroad speed."

—Boys have already began to try the temperature of the water for swimming.

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Local Department.

—Remember, the curb market begins next Saturday morning.

—It is difficult to tell how much a fish weighs by looking at the scales.

—The apple blossom is beautiful and thousands of them are now visible.

—The State Teachers' Association will meet in Harrisburg July 7, 8 and 9.

—Hicks & Buck are painting the new building at their Novelty Machine Works.

—Bellefonte Republicans rejoice at the election of Logan to the U. S. Senate from Illinois.

—The mornings are quite cool, but the sun, at noontime, is quite hot enough for comfort.

—The Williamsport base ball nine has played nine games this season and won all of them.

—There was a report in Bellefonte Saturday afternoon that Millheim was on fire. The report was not correct.

—There is a case of scarlet fever on Howard street. People should not be frightened, but exert only reasonable care.

—A new roof is being put on the Montgomery residence on Allegheny street. It will be about a foot higher than before.

—The most striking Spring attire we have seen this season was that worn by Mr. W. L. Malin on Saturday afternoon.

—The first locomotive and train of cars passed over the new bridge on the B., N. and L. road at this place Wednesday morning.

—Miss Maggie Phipps, one of the fair young ladies of Franklin, Venango county, Pa., is the guest of Miss Mary Newell of this place.

—Goldsmith Bros. have just received a new safe which is capable of containing each day's cash receipts if they don't exceed a million dollars.

—Mr. R. A. Beck and his clarionet are awake early and late. Residents of Curtin street were lulled to sleep by his artistic music on Monday evening.

—Cows sometimes attempt to drink from the stream which flows from the fountain, not content to use the receptacle designed especially for animals.

—Will not some one donate a lawn mower to the borough school board? Without such an instrument it is difficult to keep the school house lawn in good order.

—Mr. Ed. Humes, son of William Humes, Sr., returned home last Monday from Philadelphia. His injured eye is much improved as a result of the skilled surgical attention it received.

—There is a handsome frame in the hall of the Logan Hose Company containing a variety of beautiful badges of fire companies in all parts of the State. They look very attractive in a frame.

—Two cars of the local freight went off the track at this place Saturday afternoon delaying the train an hour or more. One of the brakemen narrowly escaped injury by jumping from the car when it was moving.

—Mr. J. W. Undercoffer will be married this (Thursday) afternoon at 4.30 o'clock to Miss Clara Carr of this place. The ceremony will be solomized in the Episcopal church by Rev. Mr. Bonnell of Lock Haven.

—At a church social in Iron Mountain, Mich., given a few evenings ago with the object of welcoming the new pastor and his wife, Miss Esther P. Tuten read a neat and appropriate poem. Miss Esther is a sister of Mr. E. T. Tuten, of the Bellefonte REPUBLICAN, and is a very pleasing and energetic lady.

—We understand with surprise that certain parties about four miles from town along the upper part of Spring creek are in the practice of killing fish with dynamite. The officers of the law are watching these persons and if they continue the unlawful and destructive practice they will be punished. Take warning.

—Twenty-five to seven was the score of the base ball game at State College on Saturday afternoon between the Acmes and Preps. The only thing wrong about this score is that the twenty-five was made by the College boys, while the Acmes had to rest satisfied with only seven. But then the town boys didn't do their level best, or else they might easily have gotten aw ith those lads at the College.

Through Penns Valley.

OUR REPORTER ELABORATES ON THE SCENERY AND INCIDENTS OF A TRIP THROUGH THE LOVELIEST VALLEY IN CENTRE COUNTY.

Once again, kind reader, we will give you in a few words what we saw and heard in a four days' trip through Penns Valley. Leaving Bellefonte and its busy rush and hurry behind us, we take our course through a section of the county "vine-clad and blooming" until we reached the pleasant little village of Linden Hall. The day was cool but pleasant, and as we drove along and noticed the blossoming tree, the growing grass and grain, and the busy farmer we became dimly conscious of the fact that summer *is* approaching. As we proceeded further, listened to the song of the bird and admired the many and varied beauties of nature, we thought how wondrous and numerous the changes since this lovely valley was settled and named in honor of that wonderful peacemaker, William Penn. Not observing anything of particular interest at Linden Hall, we continued on our way until we reached the smiling town of Centre Hall.

AT CENTRE HALL.

As it was nearing the close of day we concluded to tarry here for the night, and knowing of no more hospitable place than that of Mr. J. B. Solt's we drove there and he took us in, and as far as feeding is concerned he performed the act of the good Samaritan to perfection. In the evening we wended our way down street and dropped into the office of the *Centre Reporter*, where we met that agreeable gentleman, Mr. Wes' Smith who is Mr. Kurtz' valuable assistant. For this gentleman we must say that he acted "the agreeable" by conducting us to the lodge room in the evening—which is fitted up for the delectation of the young men of that town, and we think it an excellent place to congregate to spend an evening instead of loafing on the street corners. We also met Mr. Fred Kurtz, the proprietor of the *Reporter*, but he was either rushed with business or we were a little bit too Republican for him (we don't know which) to give us the pleasure of his society very long. Centre Hall has three fine mercantile houses, the proprietors of all being agreeable gentlemen. While in Centre Hall we called on the Rev. Isaac Heckman, pastor of the M. E. church, that place. We enjoyed the call, especially as years ago, when your humble servant was but a small boy, he often listened to the reverend gentleman expound Gospel truths. We must not omit to say that our host kindly acted as guide for us the next day and conducted us to "all the regions round about" Centre Hall and pointed out to us the most interesting places, among which we will mention but one,

VISITS A HISTORIC SPOT.

The place is marked by two stones where in 1778 Jacob Shedacre engaged in mortal combat with an Indian chief. The combatants fought with knives and the struggle only terminated with the death of both, who, when found, lay side by side, where they had fallen in the death struggle. With the death of their chief the warlike Indians forsook that valley and never again in that section of the State was pale face blood shed by the hand of the red man. Preparations are being made to build a large Lutheran church on the corner of Main and Church streets. Kurtz' mill is being pushed rapidly towards completion and by the first of July they expect to turn out some of the finest rolled flour possible to make. There is also in course of erection a large store room and ware house at the station, about one-third of a mile from the main town. There are also quite a number of other buildings in course of construction, and we agree with Mr. Solt in his opinion that they have a very nice nice little town and that there is a bright future in store for it.

DEMOCRAT HOSPITALITY.

Ere we leave Centre Hall we must again say that we were highly delighted to receive such whole-souled hospitality at the house of a Democrat—such a staunch one, too—as we received at that of our host; but then there is nothing wrong about a Democrat, anyway, except his politics. The best of friends must part and so we continued our way

THROUGH CENTRE HILL TO POTTERS MILLS,

where we found a village filled with genial people, who warmly welcomed us to their midst, Mr. Wm. J. Thompson, merchant at that place, is doing a good business now, but not quite as brisk as he would like, as he is a push-a-head, energetic man. While there we appeased our hunger from the well-spread table of D. H. Ruhl, who is royal in the treatment of his guests. The woolen factory at that place is now operating on a small scale, having been started up a few weeks ago. From Potters Mills we took our way to Spring Mills via. George's Valley, a country in which is displayed the wildest and grandest scenery, presenting an almost wierd aspect, yet so fascinating as to compel one to gaze with silent admiration, totally unable to adequately express fully the grandeur of the scenery there presented by nature. Finally, we reach the end of the mountain and there discover in a very picturesque locality Spring Mills.

SPENT A NIGHT IN SPRING MILLS.

On driving to the Shaffer House we were met by the proprietor in a very agreeable manner, and so we concluded to spend a night under his roof. During the evening we met many of the pleasant citizens of the town and also visited several of the business places. Mr. I. J. Grenoble, proprietor of the Spring Mills House, and who is also one of the enterprising merchants, is doing a very good business, most of which is due to the railroad, as many of the employes are stopping at Spring Mills. Mr. Spiglemyer has a very complete store and takes pleasure in handing over the counter merchandise to any who will patronize him. Time and space will not permit us to fully describe our stay there and so we hasten on to Farmers Mills, where the only thing of any interest we noticed was the remodeling of the mill at that place, which after it is finished will be one of the finest mills in this part of the State. Mrs. Smith, a very aged lady and a resident of Farmers Mills, is in a very feeble state of health and her death is expected any time.

A VISIT TO PENN CAVE.

After leaving Farmers Mills we concluded to take an excursion to Penn cave, the great wonder of that valley. In a short time we arrived at the cave, and as that was our first visit there we gazed with wonder expressed on our countenance into its depths. Seeking Mr. Long, we asked to be taken in and that gentleman very kindly consented to do so. Our wonder when looking in was increased to astonishment when once inside the cave. Of nature's beautiful works that is the most beautiful we ever beheld. Its high vaulted roof hanging with rocks, shells and designs of every description. Its many nooks and lofty chambers, in which were arrayed what seemed to be statues of the most ancient design. The many and picturesque alcoves finished in such a peculiar way as to lead one to imagine that all the powers of art and nature conspired in the construction of that cave to make one of the most lovely places that it were possible to create. The sensation as one glides into the hills on a smooth body of water, through chambers now widening, then closing, and so on until the end is reached, almost one-half mile under the hill, is peculiarly pleasant. The atmosphere in the cave is cool and bracing, and one feels the full vigor of life in every vein and nerve of his body. To add to its beauty, the rocks covering the roof and sides are of a marbleized color and so arranged as to bring out every tint and shade of beauty. But we cannot fully describe it, so will forebear from any further attempt. After coming out of the cave we noticed that the owner is erecting a very large and commodious hotel, and we predict for him after its completion and the arrangement of the grounds one of the finest resorts in the United States. From there we took our way through Centre Hall home; and thus terminated what was to us a very agreeable trip.

WEB.

Wedding on Sunday.

On Sunday, May 17, a very quiet and elegant wedding occurred in the Catholic church, at 6:30 o'clock a. m. The contracting parties were Mr. John Newson, who was recently the proprietor of a restaurant at the corner of Bishop and Allegheny streets, and Miss Ellen Foley, of this place. Rev. Father McArdle officiated. Mr Bernard Clark was best man and Miss Kate McMahon bridesmaid.

The groom, Mr. Newson, is a handsome and intelligent young man of pleasing address and qualities which render him very popular with all. His fair bride is indeed a beautiful young lady with numerous accomplishments. It has been long since a finer looking couple have knelt at the marriage altar in this place. They went to Howard where, we understand, it is their intention to reside in the future and to which place the best wishes of their friends will accompany them.

—Gregg Post, G. A. R., originally purposed to have the annual memorial sermon preached on Sunday morning, the 31st. But as they have discovered that the rules of their order require the sermon on the Sunday *previous* to Memorial day, it will be delivered next Sunday morning, 24th inst., at 10:30 o'clock in the Lutheran church, by Rev. Chas. T. Steck. Please remember this change.

Firemen's Presentation and Banquet.

On Friday evening a committee of five members of the Logan Hose Company, No. 4, of Altoona, came to Bellefonte on the 8:55 train. Their names are: Chas. Murphy, who is President of the company; Russell Crozier, the chairman of the committee; Harry Renner, Harry Herr and Henry Selwidtz. They were cordially received at the depot by a committee of seven members of the Logan Hose Co., No. 1, of this place. This reception committee consisted of W. T. Hillibish, chairman, Frank Wescott, Thomas Shaughensey, Edward Shrom, James Stott, James Seibert and Harry Jackson. The visitors were escorted at once to the hose house.

When they arrived at the pleasant headquarters of the company, and were introduced to those assembled and a few greetings exchanged, Mr. Russell Crozier stepped forward to formally fulfill the object of the visit In a neat and effective speech he presented to the Logan Hose Company, on behalf of the company he represents, a handsome frame containing the photograph of each member of his company. This speech was responded to on behalf of the company by J. L. Spangler, Esq., in his customary happy style.

Having completed this portion of the exercise, all parties, accompanied by three hungry newspaper reporters, repaired to Mr. Heisler's dining rooms where a most elaborate banquet was served. We suppose it will be appropriate to say that the table groaned beneath its weight of good things, but only delight was expressed in the countenances of the party who were about to attack this tempting display. Meats, fish, vegetables, salads, etc., were each attacked in turn, but it was found impossible to deplete the festal board of its entire contents. Mr. George Bible filled his plate a half dozen times from the salid dish, remarking that it was not an especially big salad night for him, either. The substantials were followed by delicious ice cream, cake and sparkling champagne. The cake was a beauty in its proportions and in the elaborate and elegant ornamental frosting. Here Joe Furey displayed his especial capacity and tried to challenge someone to engage in a cake-eating contest with him. No one was equal to the task. As for the sparkling champagne, two of the reporters only winked at it for they knew its peculiar power. They know that

Although it sparkles with a golden light,
It's beauty is a sham, it giveth pain;
And he who drinks will perhaps get tight,
That's why reporters always should abstain.

The only toast was proposed by Mr. Furey "to the health of the President of Logan Hose Company of Altoona."

After this banquet was dispatched, the entire party adjourned to the hose house where smoking, conversation, etc., were indulged in and the beautiful picture much admired. The company which this committee represented is evidently made up of young and unusually good-looking gentlemen. The visiting committee are gentlemen who most favorably impress all who meet them. They returned to Altoona in the 5:20 train Saturday afternoon.

—Messrs. Sol and Aaron Goldsmith and Miss Fannie are now located in one of the pleasantest homes in Bellefonte. In addition to quite extensive repairs and improvements put on the house by its owner, it has been furnished throughout in sumptuous style. Soft carpets break the footfall, luxurious chairs give rest to the weary, beautiful articles greet the eye in every direction, all selected with excellent taste. Miss Fannie Goldsmith presides over the household in an exceedingly agreeable manner. We are glad that our friends are so delightfully situated and it seems somewhat sad to know that a time will come when this arrangement must be disturbed in some respects, because it is quite unlikely that much time will elapse before either Sol or Aaron will conclude that a wife will add to his domestic happiness and that "man was not made to live a"—bachelor.

—An unknown contemporary puts it thus correctly: If everybody was to bear in mind that the strongest safeguard against epidemics like cholera consists in a scrupulous attention to cleanliness, both of person and premises, perhaps we should see greater attention paid to this subject. Municipal regulations can do much, but after all the individual citizen must do the principal part of the work himself. First let him keep himself clean, and then let him see to it that all his surroundings are likewise. In this consists our greatest safety, and just in the degree that people realize this and act upon it will our immunity from epidemics next summer depend.

Personal Pencilings.

Mr. Sol. Goldsmith is home again after a trip to the city.

Mr. Lew Shaffer visited his friends in Lock Haven on Friday.

Mrs. A. Ross Read, of Tyrone, is visiting friends in Milesburg.

Mr. Beezer, the High street meat market man, has a new delivery wagon.

Rev. R. C. Crittenden left Thursday morning on a missionary trip to Elk county.

Miss Effie Straub, of Altoona, is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Gerberich.

Rev. R. Hamill dispensed his agreeable presence in Bellefonte on Thurs day afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. Jenkins was visiting relatives in the pleasant borough of Howard last Thursday.

Mrs. George Potter is just recovering from a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. Thad. Longwell, of Snow Shoe, were in town Saturday morning, departing on the 9:05 train.

Capt. Curtin, Commander of the G. A. R. of Penn'a. was in Pittsburg on Thursday inspecting the posts of that city.

Miss Mary Ann McGill departed for Philadelphia on Wednesday, expecting to remain in that city several days.

Max Sternberg, a son of Mr. A. Sternberg, has been quite ill for two weeks past, but is now, we are pleased to state, recovering.

Mr. John Brachbill has removed the fence in front of his residence on Spring street and will put a handsome iron fence in its place.

Mr. Will Cowdrick, son of Mr. Morris Cowdrick, is at home from Atlanta, Ga., where he has spent the past seventeen months.

Miss Annie Shirer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Shirer, of Snow Shoe, will be married on the 28th of this month to Mr. John D. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn, of Philadelphia, are visiting in town at the residence of Mrs. Blackburn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Landis.

Mr. Ed. Graham, after a very long period of illness, is able to walk out again. His friends were pleased to see him on the street Thursday afternoon.

Mr. John M. Ward, "the best base runner," has his picture displayed in *Harper's Weekly* this week among a number of other champion ball players.

J. G. Love, Esq., departed Thursday morning for Clifton Springs, N. Y., where he will join his wife who is staying at that place for the benefit of her health.

Ex-Judge John H. Orvis went fishing on Friday. When he goes fishing he dresses like a fisherman, and forgets for awhile that he is an ex-Judge and a first-class attorney.

Mr. Ed. Speer shivered in an overcoat on Thursday at noon and Friday perspired in a thin seersucker coat. Quite a startling transformation in the short space of 24 hours.

Mr. Alva S. Grow, of the firm of George T. Bisel & Co., law stationers and booksellers, Philadelphia, has just disposed of a law library to Lock Haven parties at a cost of $850.

J. C. Harper, Esq., ex-prothonotary of this county, is now a practicing attorney, having been admitted to the bar. He is a very popular gentleman and will likely have many clients.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Rulison, accompanied by Rev. Bonnell, of Lock Haven, arrived in Bellefonte Thursday evening and conducted impressive services in the Episcopal church.

Mr. Moyer Lyon, the business-like manager of Lyon's mercantile establishment, does not solace himself so frequently as usual by drawing smoke through a cigar. He perhaps has some other source of consolation now.

Rev. J. Zeigler visited Bellefonte Wednesday morning with a wagon load of exquisite flowering plants. "How beautiful!" was the exclamation of those who saw them—meaning not Mr. Z., but the flowers.

Mr. Harry Renner, one of the committee representing Logan Hose Company, No. 4, of Altoona, is an unusually bright and attractive young man and we are sure that all who meet him to-day will be well pleased.

Mr. Joseph Gross, recently of Altoona, will probably remain permanently in Bellefonte hereafter, his presence being needed at home since the death of his father, the late Mr. Philip Gross. He is a baker by trade and a very pleasant young man.

Brigadier General Jas. A. Beaver and Assistant Adjutant General D. S. Keller have issued special order No. 6 which gives notice that an election will be held in Altoona on the 27th inst. the fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lieutenant Vincent D. Hudson of Company D.

Personal Pencilings.

Bishop Rulison was in Williamsport on Sunday.

Mr. Charles Valentine is visiting friends in Sunbury.

Rev. Prof. D. M. Wolf visited friends in Bellefonte on Monday.

Mr. Frank Bible, a Bellefonte editor, carries a gold-headed cane.

Hon. L. A. Mackey made another flying trip to Bellefonte Monday evening.

Rev. Geo. D. Penepacker and wife, of Altoona, are visiting friends in Huntingdon.

Welcome callers, Tuesday morning were Messrs. Wilson Irvin and R. F. Comley, of Unionville.

Mr. Will Auchenbach, of Williamsport, is spending a couple of days with his parents in town.

Ira Hazel, of Madisonburg, is confined to his bed with quite a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

W. R. Teller, proprietor of the Bush house, started for Richmond, Va., on Monday afternoon to remain a week.

Mr. Morris Hicks, formerly an employe of Valentines Ironworks, is now regularly engaged at the nail factory.

Mr. Will Zellers, the druggist, returned from Lock Haven Monday evening. That new derby becomes him very well.

Mrs. F. C. Montgomery departed last Tuesday for Philadelphia where she will visit among friends for several weeks.

Associate Judge Chester Munson came over from the "city" of Philipsburg Monday morning and spent a few hours in the county town.

Lieut. Jas. A. Leyden tore himself away on Monday from his active military operations at State College and was recreating at the Brockerhoff House.

Miss Ida Gearhart, of Clearfield, who has been a guest at the home of Dr. George Swartz since the Kirk-Musser wedding, departed for her home on Saturday.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Arthur Taylor, nee Alice Scanlon, is quite ill at the home of ex-Sheriff Schaeffer at Nittany Hall. Mrs. Taylor was visiting there when she became ill.

Hon. Jno. W. Simonton, one of the most prominent Judges in Pennsylvania, is presiding over argument court here this week. His home is in Harrisburg. His wife accompanied him to this place.

Mr. Tom Hicks, of Philadelphia, is a guest of his brother, Mr. Harry Hicks, on Linn street. Several years have elapsed since the former was a resident of Bellefonte, but he is as handsome and genial as ever.

Among the gentlemen who visited Bellefonte on Saturday was Mr. William Iddings of Unionville. We understand that he has recently purchased quite a fine house in the borough of Unionville in which he will reside.

W. F. Crider, President of the Bellefonte Borough council, was in Williamsport on Monday. As they are laying new street pavements down there perhaps he can furnish a point or two in regard to the paving of High street.

Messrs. Jackson and Stott of the reception committee that met the visiting firemen from Altoona spent Saturday in showing their guests various places of interest in this vicinity. The visitors departed for Altoona on the fast line Saturday evening much delighted with their visit in this place.

J. G. Love, Esq., arrived home from Clifton Springs on Monday. We regret to learn that Mrs. Love has not been benefited thus far by her visit there this season and was not sufficiently well to accompany her husband home. She will probably be stronger in a few days, and if so will return home.

Mrs. James H. Rankin departed on Saturday to see her sister, Mrs. Wm. Rankin, in Orbisonia. The latter lady, who is Mrs. Rankin's only sister and bears the same name—the two sisters having married brothers—has been ill for some time and yesterday became worse, requiring her immediate presence.

Mr. James Montgomery, of Warsaw, Wisconsin, will be married on Thursday, May 28, at 3 o'clock p. m. to Miss Elizabeth Baxter Yost, daughter of Mr. Jacob A. Yost. The ceremony will occur in the Presbyterian church at Ashbourne, Pa. Mr. Montgomery was formerly bookkeeper at Mann's axe works.

—White dresses have been resurrected by the girls.

MARRIED.

GALE—McCULLOUGH.—On the 7th instant at the residence of Mr. F. A. Collins, in Philipsburg by Rev. H. Hill, Mr. Jerry Gale and Miss Mary McCullough, both of Philipsburg.

FIKE—BUTLER.—On the 12th inst., at Philipsburg, by B. J. Laporte, Esq., Mr. James Fike and Miss Sarah A. Butler, both of Rush township, Centre county, Pa.